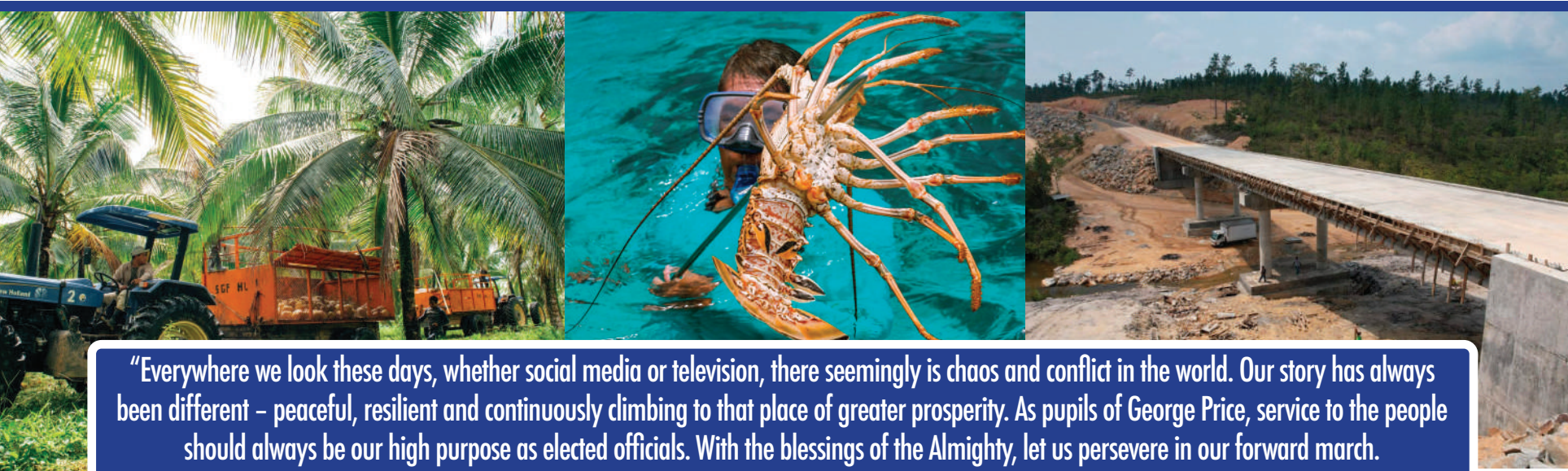




FIFTH ANNIVERSARY Everyone's PlanBelize Win

11/11/20 celebrated for surge in Education, Jobs, Land, Housing & Education



"Everywhere we look these days, whether social media or television, there seemingly is chaos and conflict in the world. Our story has always been different – peaceful, resilient and continuously climbing to that place of greater prosperity. As pupils of George Price, service to the people should always be our high purpose as elected officials. With the blessings of the Almighty, let us persevere in our forward march."
- Excerpts, PM John Briceño Address to the Nation



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Fifth Anniversary Everyone's PlanBelize Win

The PUP faithful and Belizean all over are celebrating November 11, 2020 and the undisputed surge in Education, Jobs, Land, Housing & Education. Week in, week out, the shopping, the sold out concerts, the packed restaurants, the record breaking airport arrivals and overnight stays, and the meaningful Boledo purchases point to micro economic indices where purchasing power is at an all-time high. The macro economy is consistently reported on by a satisfied IMF and high investor confidence.



We will never forget that on March 11, 2020, everything changed, the world's existence was in question, but the PUP was not afraid of Covid-19 nor of the virulent UDP-13. We moved forward guided by planBelize--the North Star. On Novem-

ber 11, 2020, Belizeans stood up to Covid-19 with hand sanitizers and masks. We elected John Briceño and team 26 to 5. Everyone was hopeful and the PUP accepted the job of delivering Belize away from UDP's recession while also defeating Covid-19.

As the people of Belize celebrate the fifth anniversary of the November 11, 2020 win, they are already into the eighth month of the March 12, 2025 planBelize 2.0 win. Unscientific Internet polls, algorithmic social media comments, UDP-skewed media and the Lord's fake polls were all debunked by the poll of polls, the General Elections carried out by the people for the people. In 2025, the PUP came with accomplishments in hand and asked the people to keep 'Right pan Track' with planBelize 2.0.



Evaluating the last five years of the John Briceño administration begins with the choice of the people in two consecutive Village Council election cycles, two consecutive Municipal Elections and the March 2025 General Elections. The UDP is not even relevant any more as the people-centric success of the plan-Belize achievements have all but obliterated any notion of a UDP chance to rebuild. Belizean women and men are working in record numbers leading to low unemployment numbers; this means as the PM often says, "anyone who wants a job can get one." These jobs have been the result of a savvy Investment strategy, partnering with big business and MSMEs equally, state-of-the-art Tourism approach, relentless Agricultural know-how, intelligent borrowing for clean Energy, contemporary Education, affordable Health care, and climate resilient Infrastructure, transparent Governance, steps to digitalization, modernizing the dispensation of Justice, Social Justice-mindedness in Land and Housing policy, Boledo for NHI, and, many small yet significant steps, in dealing with lowering the cost of living.



The complement of a planBelize 2.0 guiding the charismatic PM John Briceño as leader of a professional team who serves a mature labour force is the ultimate reason for the world-renowned, ongoing success of our jewel, Belize. (Excerpts from the Editorial)

We all will see more winning! Happy 5th Anniversary!

Major News Media Called Out Again

This newspaper has been calling out the major news outlets in a political manner and in a socially conscious way for some time now. The October 19th Editorial pointed out the following: "Most media try their best to be the first to inform Belize on the murders, the traffic accidents, the holdups, the fires, the flooded areas, and the potholes. The sensationalism of the worst of the worst has become a staple for media houses. The media will argue that people want to be informed. Hypothetically, if the Haulover bridge opens and a Southside murder happens simultaneously, the focus will be on the murder. Then, at the Haulover ceremony, the reporters will ask about the murder."

As it poin ted out the public is smart and mature and they are noticing how the major news outlets ignore the positive. The 10th Anniversary celebration of Saxophone music is important to the general culture of Belize. Artists are few but their collective work is grand. Our paper is known to be political with the truth and might have stories on culture and artist now and again.

We will take this opportunity to point out that the wider media should probably have a section where they uplift culture not ignore it totally.

Below is the BLAST BELIZE post we are referring to in its entirety/

"ALLAN "DI REAL McCOY" CALLS OUT MEDIA FOR IGNORING POSITIVE NEWS! ⚠️

Renowned saxophonist Alan "Di Real McCoy" is expressing disappointment toward major news outlets in Belize after his 10th anniversary celebration of saxophone music received little recognition.

The celebration, held on Friday, November 7th at Admiral's in Belize City, marked a milestone in McCoy's decade long journey of spreading joy and cultural pride through music. Despite his efforts to notify media houses, McCoy says his emails and messages were ignored.

According to him, 7 News never replied, while News 5 sent a last minute text saying their reporters were focusing on rising crime in northern Belize.

"I had to make several calls to different outlets just to let them know about my event," McCoy said. "All they seem to want to report are accidents, machete attacks, the Joseph Budna case, Orson Elrington rape case, and other negative stories."

McCoy added that he also received no recognition from the National Institute of Culture and History (NICH), the Belize City Council, the Belize Police Department, the Office of the Prime Minister, or other organizations.

"I ended up getting congratulations from my own Belize City Lions Club and a few supporters," he said.

He expressed frustration that positive community events, especially those promoting local talent, are often overlooked by the media and national institutions in favor of crime stories.

"I've had enough of hearing those negative stories," he stated.

"I just want to encourage the media to report more positive things so that families and children can feel happy all the time."

McCoy, known for his soulful performances, continues to inspire audiences with his saxophone melodies and advocate for a more uplifting national conversation."

[#blastedbelize](#)

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EDITORIAL

On Track with Winning

In April 2021, Leader of Opposition Patrick Faber called planBelize “laudable” and “a good plan” and, of course, was unreasonably sceptical of the 2025 goals that Prime Minister Briceño had outlined to the Belizean people in Budget 2021-2022. Indeed, Hon. Briceño had been beyond “prophetic”, as Faber said in his attempt to rebut. That budget called for a debt-to-GDP ratio of 85 per cent by 2025. The fact is that by 2022, the said ratio had dropped to approximately 60 per cent from UDP’s disastrous 135 per cent. Credit this to the historic, world-class Blue Bond and to the partnership with Belizean teachers and Public Servants. More history, the ratio achieved in 2022, allowed the teachers and public servants to get their 10 per cent returned way ahead of the agreed schedule. The drop in the ratio also hinged on the renegotiation of the PetroCaribe loan. These funds will forever be known as having been spent unconstitutionally by convicted PM Barrow, who was found guilty of the crime in early 2020.

The planBelize manifesto, tabled in 2021 at the House of Representatives, was the brainchild of the PUP followers of George Price. It was a comprehensive plan aimed at addressing the various challenges facing Belize. In 2016, after John Briceño was elected leader of the PUP, 17 PUP committees were assembled with the best minds in Belize. Plans were innovatively crafted on as many fronts as Belize needed: Health, Education, Economy, Land, Tourism, Agriculture, Jobs, Housing, Women, Children, Family, Infrastructure, Security, Governance, Transport, Rural Living, Anti-Corruption and Justice. ‘Everybody fi win’ became the modern version of the mantra ‘Serve the People’.

On March 11, 2020, everything changed; the world’s existence was in question, but the PUP was unfazed by COVID-19 or by the UDP. It moved forward guided by planBelize, ingeniously placed as the PUP’s North Star. The PUP, under the leadership of John Briceño, was quick to respond to the pandemic, implementing measures to protect the health and livelihoods of Belizeans. November 11, 2020, will forever be remembered by Belizeans standing up to COVID-19 with hand sanitisers and masks as we lined up to elect John Briceño and team to lead Belize. Everyone was hopeful! The PUP accepted the task of delivering Belize from the UDP-induced recession and, along with the world, defeating COVID-19.

Patrick Faber’s predictions have consistently proven wrong. In the same 2021 Budget debate, he expressed his wish that teachers and public servants would not receive their 10% back. He dismissed the possibility of a John Briceño and planBelize 2025 repeat government. Yet, as the people of Belize celebrate the fifth anniversary of the November 11, 2020, victory, they are already eight months into the March 12, 2025, re-endorsement of the planBelize victory. Unscientific Internet polls, algorithmic social media comments, UDP-skewed media, and the Lord’s fake polls were all discredited by the poll of polls —the General Elections administered by the people, for the people. In 2025, the PUP did not just bring planBelize; the PUP arrived with a string of achievements and asked the people to stay ‘Right pan Track’ with planBelize 2.0.

Evaluating the last five years of the John Briceño administration begins with the choice of the people in two consecutive Village Council election cycles, two consecutive Municipal Elections and the March 2025 General Elections. To say that the people were voting against the absent UDP is fair, but it is probably insignificant. The UDP is not even relevant anymore, as the people-centric success of planBelize achievements has all but obliterated any notion of a UDP chance to rebuild.

Belizean women and men are working in record numbers, leading to statistical outliers for unemployment numbers; this means, as the PM often says, “anyone who wants a job can get one.” These jobs have been the result of a savvy Investment strategy, partnering with big business and MSMEs equally, a state-of-the-art Tourism approach, a relentless Agricultural know-how, intelligent borrowing for clean Energy, contemporary Education, affordable Health care, and climate resilient Infrastructure, transparent Governance, steps to digitalisation, modernising the dispensation of Justice, Social Justice-mindedness in Land and Housing policy, Boledo for NHI, and, many small yet significant steps, in dealing with lowering the cost of living.

The complement planBelize 2.0, guiding the charismatic PM John Briceño as leader of a professional team serving a mature labour force, is the ultimate reason for the world-renowned, ongoing success of our jewel, Belize.

Happy 5th anniversary, as we look forward to more winning.

en Español

En camino Hacia el Éxito

En abril de 2021, el líder de la oposición Patrick Faber calificó el planBelize de «loable» y «buen plan» y, por supuesto, se mostró injustificadamente escéptico con respecto a los objetivos para 2025 que el primer ministro Briceño había esbozado al pueblo beliceño en el presupuesto para 2021-2022. De hecho, el honorable Briceño había sido más que «profético», como dijo Faber en su intento de refutarlo. Ese presupuesto exigía una relación deuda/PIB del 85 % para 2025. El hecho es que, en 2022, dicha relación había descendido hasta aproximadamente el 60 %, desde el desastroso 135 % del UDP. Esto se debe al histórico Blue Bond, de categoría mundial, y a la colaboración con los profesores y funcionarios públicos de Belice. Más aún, la ratio alcanzada en 2022 permitió a los profesores y funcionarios públicos recuperar su 10 % mucho antes de lo previsto. La caída de la ratio también se debió a la renegociación del préstamo de PetroCaribe. Estos fondos serán recordados para siempre por haber sido gastados de forma inconstitucional por el primer ministro Barrow, condenado por este delito a principios de 2020.

El manifiesto del planBelize, presentado en 2021 ante la Cámara de Representantes, fue una idea original de los seguidores del PUP de George Price. Se trataba de un plan integral destinado a abordar los diversos retos a los que se enfrentaba Belice. En 2016, después de que John Briceño fuera elegido líder del PUP, se reunieron 17 comités del PUP con las mentes más brillantes de Belice. Se elaboraron planes innovadores en todos los frentes que Belice necesitaba: salud, educación, economía, tierra, turismo, agricultura, empleo, vivienda, mujeres, niños, familia, infraestructura, seguridad, gobernanza, transporte, vida rural, lucha contra la corrupción y justicia. «Everybody fi win» (**Todos ganan**) se convirtió en la versión moderna del lema «Serve the People» (**Servir al pueblo**).

El 11 de marzo de 2020, todo cambió; la existencia del mundo estaba en entredicho, pero el PUP no se dejó intimidar por la COVID-19 ni por el UDP. Siguió adelante guiado por planBelize, ingeniosamente situado como la estrella polar del PUP. El PUP, bajo el liderazgo de John Briceño, respondió rápidamente a la pandemia, implementando medidas para proteger la salud y los medios de vida de los beliceños. El 11 de noviembre de 2020 será recordado para siempre por los beliceños que se enfrentaron al COVID-19 con desinfectantes de manos y mascarillas mientras hacíamos fila para elegir a John Briceño y su equipo para liderar Belice. ¡Todo el mundo estaba esperanzado! El PUP aceptó la tarea de sacar a Belice de la recesión provocada por el UDP y, junto con el resto del mundo, derrotar a la COVID-19.

Las predicciones de Patrick Faber se han demostrado erróneas una y otra vez. En el mismo debate sobre el presupuesto de 2021, expresó su deseo de que los profesores y los funcionarios públicos no recibieran su 10 % de devolución. Descartó la posibilidad de que John Briceño y planBelize 2025 volvieran al Gobierno. Sin embargo, mientras el pueblo de Belice celebra el quinto aniversario de la victoria del 11 de noviembre de 2020, ya han pasado ocho meses desde la reafirmación de la victoria del planBelize el 12 de marzo de 2025. Las encuestas poco científicas en Internet, los comentarios algorítmicos en las redes sociales, los medios de comunicación sesgados hacia el UDP y las encuestas falsas del Lord quedaron desacreditados por la encuesta de encuestas: las elecciones generales administradas por el pueblo y para el pueblo. En 2025, el PUP no solo trajo el planBelize, sino que llegó con una serie de logros y pidió al pueblo que se mantuviera en el «camino correcto» (stay pan track) con el planBelize 2.0.

La evaluación de los últimos cinco años de la administración de John Briceño comienza con la elección del pueblo en dos ciclos consecutivos de elecciones al Consejo Municipal, dos elecciones municipales consecutivas y las elecciones generales de marzo de 2025. Decir que el pueblo votó en contra del ausente UDP es justo, pero probablemente sea insignificante. El UDP ya ni siquiera es relevante, ya que el éxito centrado en las personas de los logros del planBelize ha borrado casi por completo cualquier posibilidad de que el UDP se reconstruya.

Las mujeres y los hombres beliceños están trabajando en cifras récord, lo que se traduce en valores atípicos en las estadísticas de desempleo; esto significa, como suele decir el primer ministro, que «cualquiera que quiera un trabajo puede conseguirlo». Estos puestos de trabajo son el resultado de una inteligente estrategia de inversión, la colaboración con grandes empresas y micro, pequeñas y medianas empresas por igual, un enfoque turístico de vanguardia, un implacable conocimiento agrícola, préstamos inteligentes para energía limpia, educación contemporánea, atención sanitaria asequible e infraestructuras resistentes al clima, gobernanza transparente, medidas para la digitalización, modernización de la administración de justicia, mentalidad de justicia social en la política de tierra y vivienda, Boledo para el NHI y muchas otras medidas pequeñas pero significativas para reducir el coste de la vida.

El plan Belize 2.0 complementario, que guía al carismático primer ministro John Briceño como líder de un equipo profesional al servicio de una mano de obra madura, es la razón última del éxito mundialmente reconocido y continuo de nuestra joya, Belice.

Feliz quinto aniversario, esperamos seguir cosechando éxitos.

LAUNCH

GRIT PROJECT IN BELIZE BELTRAIDE - CARIBBEAN EXPORT

"You have the vision, you have the drive, and, now, you have a powerful set of new tools. Let us build a more resilient, inclusive, and prosperous Belize." CEO Narda Garcia

On Wednesday, November 12, 2025 officials from the Belize Trade and Investment Development Service (BELTRAIDE), Ministry of Economic Transformation, Ministry of Human Development, Family Support & Gender Affairs, and Caribbean Export Development Agency (Caribbean Export) and Global Affairs Canada (GAC) introduce GRIT - Caribbean Women Entrepreneurs Generating Resilient and Inclusive Trade at the Grand Residence & Resort, at the banks of the Haulover Bridge in Belize City. It is considered a significant milestone for women in Caribbean commerce. Women entrepreneurs from across the nation attended the session, a 4-year initiative (2025-2028) valued at 3 million (CAD), that is designed to increase the productivity, competitiveness and export readiness of women-led businesses across the Caribbean. A similar event took place in Dominica on November 6, 2025.



It is expected to directly benefit 800 women, while indirectly supporting some 10,000 more women through training, capacity-building initiatives, and access to valuable market intelligence. In a release issued by Caribbean Export it was posited that the initiative sought to reshape the regional economic landscape by supporting women-led businesses in overcoming trade barriers, expanding their influence, and maintaining growth through a focus on green transition, digital innovation, and broader market access.

Executive Director of BELTRAIDE, Ishmael Quiroz in his welcoming remarks proffered

that *"A project like this is not only an important partnership for BELTRAIDE but a necessary investment in developing the capacity of our women entrepreneurs."*

Chief Executive Officer, Office of the Prime Minister, Investment and Civil Aviation, Narda Garcia suggested that naming the initiative GRIT was a stroke of genius, one that embodies the spirit of the Belizean women. *"It is the determination to turn an idea into an enterprise. It is the perseverance to navigate challenges, from market success and access to financing. It is unwavering courage to build something from the ground up, not just for personal success, but for the prosperity of families and communities across our nation."*

An observation out of the Office of the Prime Minister is that investing in women entrepreneurs is not solely a social good, but a critical economic imperative. Upon the unlocking of the full potential of women entrepreneurs, the resultant effect fuels economic growth by economic diversification beyond traditional



sectors. Which CEO Garcia encapsulates saying *"We are building resilience by strengthening our national capacity to withstand global economic shocks by fostering a broader, more innovative business landscape. We are promoting inclusive development, ensuring that the benefits of growth are shared equitably, leaving no one behind."* She added *"That is why the GRIT project is so strategically aligned with our national goals, because similar to all our endeavors, especially in the Ministry of Investment, where we promote and support entrepreneurs, and*

especially programs focusing on women, the GRIT project moves beyond rhetoric and provide tangible tools, access to financing, targeted technical assistance, and crucial market linkages."

Inclusivity is an integral component of the GRIT project and Carlos Pol, Chief Executive Officer, Ministry of Economic Transformation underscored that *"We must understand that depriving women of services they need to grow their business and themselves means that we are also depriving the country of significant economic growth. Another inspiring aspect of this project is the kind of support that women-led entrepreneurs will receive. They will be equipped, not only with the skills and tools for today, but also for a future economy, one that is green, digital, and globally connected."*



In a supporting statement, Wayne Elliot, Technical Programmes Caribbean Export Development submitted *"We do not want to leave anyone behind. It was inspiring to hear three CEOs (which included Adele Catzim, Chief Executive Officer, Ministry of Human Development, Family Support & Gender Affairs), reaffirm that GRIT works for Belize. Our goal is to meet entrepreneurs where they are and understand their needs and design support that truly serves the women entrepreneurs of Belize."*

In a release statement by the Executive Director of Caribbean Export, Dr. Damie Sinanan it noted *"Initiatives like GRIT are not only about empowering women, but they are also about shaping the future Caribbean Trade. A future where our businesses, particularly MSMEs, are positioned to navigate global complexities and seize opportunities in diversified markets."* The GRIT project includes women-led businesses from Dominica, Grenada, Jamaica, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines.

In her concluding statement CEO Garcia made a profound commitment that *"The Office of the Prime Minister and the Ministries of Investment and Civil Aviation, as I believe all ministries, are fully dedicated to the success of the GRIT Project. We will work across government to break down barriers, to facilitate partnerships, and to ensure that the I in GRIT, inclusive trade becomes a lived reality for every participant."* Garcia then punctuated with the powerful ending *"You have the vision, you have the drive, and now you have a powerful set of new tools. Let us together build a more resilient, inclusive and prosperous Belize."*

By Hilly Bennett

PUBLIC AND BANK HOLIDAYS, 2026

November 6, 2025 release

IT IS NOTIFIED for general information that public and bank holidays specified in the First and Second Schedules to Holidays Act, Chapter 289 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2011, will be observed on the following days during the year 2026 in accordance with section 3 of the said Act: -

Day of the Week, Date Occasion
Thursday, 1 st January New Year’s Day
Thursday, 15 th January George Price Day
Monday, 9 th March National Heroes and Benefactors Day
Friday, 3rd April Good Friday
Saturday, 4 th April Holy Saturday
Monday, 6 th April Easter Monday
Thursday, 1 st May Labour Day
Saturday, 1 st August Emancipation Day
Thursday, 10 th September St. George’s Caye Day
Monday, 21 st September Independence Day
Monday, 12 th October Indigenous Peoples’ Resistance Day
Thursday, 19 th November Garifuna Settlement Day
Friday, 25 th December Christmas Day
Saturday, 26 th December Boxing Day

(HON. KAREEM MUSA)

Ministry of Home Affairs and New Growth Industries
(Minister responsible for Holidays)

Ministry of Religious Affairs
Congratulations!
Archbishop-elect
Philip S. Wright

Belmopan, November 11, 2025.

The Ministry of Religious Affairs celebrates the election of The Very Reverend Wright as the next Archbishop of the Church in the Province of the West Indies (CPWI), a milestone that uplifts Belize and the entire Anglican community across the Caribbean.

Archbishop-elect Wright’s lifelong commitment to faith, education, and community service reflects the very values that continue to shape a more compassionate and inclusive region. His leadership stands as a beacon of hope and unity, inspiring renewed purpose and collaboration among believers and communities alike.

The Government of Belize, through the Ministry of Religious Affairs, reaffirms its partnership with the Church in advancing moral renewal, interfaith understanding, and social transformation. GOB looks forward to strengthening the spiritual and civic fabric of the nation, guided by principles of love, justice, and shared humanity.

The Ministry extends its warmest congratulations and blessings to Archbishop-elect Wright as he embarks on this new journey of leadership and service to God’s people. (release)



REQUEST FOR BIDS (RFB)
(COMPANY)

DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF NARANJAL
STREET/RIVERSIDE BOARDWALK FOR ORANGE WALK TOWN

Institution: Ministry of Finance
Country: Belize, Central America
Project: Sustainable and Inclusive Urban Development Program
Process ID: BL-L1046-P00030
Deadline: December 30, 2025; 10:00 a.m. (Local Belize Time)

The Government of Belize has received loan financing from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) for the implementation of the Sustainable and Inclusive Urban Development Program.

The Ministry of Finance, through its Central Executing Unit, intends to allocate a portion of the Program’s proceeds to procure the services of a Company for the “Design and Construction of Naranjal Street/Riverside Boardwalk for Orange Walk Town”.

The Ministry of Finance invites interested companies to access the full version of this RFB online at <https://mof.gov.bz/procurement-opportunities/> or by scanning the QR code below, and to submit their Bid in accordance with the instructions provided in the full version.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Lodgement of an EIA Report and Public Consultation
For
Castle Capital Development Limited

A Proposed Mixed –Use Real Estate Development Project on Turtle Island
– Private Island, Located Southwest of San Pedro Town, Ambergris Caye,
Belize District

The general public is hereby informed that an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) has been submitted to the Department of the Environment (DOE) for a proposed Mixed –Use Real Estate Development Project on Turtle Island – Private Island, located Southwest of San Pedro Town, Ambergris Caye, Belize District. While the EIA report is a technical document, it contains an executive summary which provides an overview of the project and its potential environmental impacts. The EIA report will be reviewed by the National Environmental Appraisal Committee (NEAC) before a final decision is taken by the DOE.

The general public is also informed that the EIA report is available for public review, free of charge, from November 8th to December 15th, 2025 (Monday- Friday) during normal working hours (8:00 am to 5:00 pm) at the following locations:

- 1. Belize City Public Library (Leo Bradley Library), located on Princess Margaret Drive
- 2. Caye Caulker Public Library
- 3. San Pedro Ambergris Caye Public Library
- 4. The DOE’s San Pedro Sub Office
- 5. The DOE’s office at 7552 Hummingbird Highway, Belmopan.

The EIA report is also available on the DOE’s website at link: https://doe.gov.bz/?post_type=wpdmpro&p=17094&preview=true and https://doe.gov.bz/?post_type=wpdmpro&p=17095&preview=true. The public is invited to submit their comments in writing on or before December 15, 2025, to the DOE Office in Belmopan or email: envirodept@environment.gov.bz; ciaunit@environment.gov.bz, and link: <https://forms.gle/TpBMXv2y8iFQ4P6a8>

Kindly be informed that a hybrid (in-person and virtual) public consultation for the EIA report will be held on November 27, 2025, commencing at 6:00 pm. The in-person consultation will be held at the San Pedro High School, Ambergris Caye, Belize District, and an online link will be provided near to the date for those who will participate virtually. The consultation will also be streamed live via the Government of Belize Press Office Facebook Page.

The General Public is invited to attend in person or participate online, to make comments, ask questions, seek clarification, and/or provide input with regard to this proposed project.



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CONSULTANCY OPPORTUNITY

Consultancy to Develop an Operations and Procedures Manual

The Blue Bond and Finance Permanence (BBFP) Unit within the Office of the Prime Minister, invites qualified individual consultants to submit proposals for a consultancy to Develop an Operations and Procedures Manual for the BBFP Unit.

The objective of this assignment is to describe the standards, procedures and guidelines for the operationalization of the BBFP Unit. Standards, procedures and guidelines should be aligned with international standards and should not contravene what is prescribed within the Government of Belize regulations.

SPECIFIC TASKS INCLUDE:

- Develop a context-specific Human Resource Management (HRM) framework aligned with international best practices, local laws, and consolidated HR policies, including user-friendly HR forms, templates, and procedures.
- Develop procurement guidelines and methods for planning and procuring works, goods, non-consulting services, and consulting services, including operational items, along with all relevant forms and contract templates.
- Elaborate guidelines for a Financial Management System that ensures proper processing, management, and reporting of project funds, with strong internal controls and accountability.
- Establish principled guidelines to protect people and the environment from potential activity-related risks, ensuring stakeholder participation and providing effective channels for concerns or grievances.

QUALIFICATIONS & EXPERIENCE:

- Expertise in International Development, Operations/Project Management, Finance and Administration, or another field relevant to the assignment.
- Completed at least 5 institutional operations consultancy services.
- At least 5 years' experience managing national and donor-funded procurement and disbursement processes.
- Understanding of GoB Operational policies and procedures.

Duration: 3 months (December 2025 – February 2026)
Submission Deadline Extended: November 21, 2025, by 10:00 am (BZ Time)

Full Terms of Reference can be requested by email at:
projectmanager.bbfunit@opm.gov.bz
Only proposals submitted in accordance with the official ToR will be considered.
Only shortlisted consultants will be contacted.



**REQUEST FOR APPLICATIONS
(INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT)**

Database Administrator Expert

Institution: Ministry of Finance
Country: Belize, Central America
Project: Strengthening Public Expenditure Management (SPEM)
Process ID: BL-L1038 – P00082
Deadline: December 1, 2025; 10:00 a.m. (Local Belize Time)

The Government of Belize has received loan financing from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) for the implementation of the Project – Strengthening Public Expenditure Management (SPEM) in Belize.

The Ministry of Finance, through its Central Executing Unit, intends to allocate a portion of the project's proceeds to procure the services of an Individual Consultant as a **“Database Administrator Expert”**, under the Project, for a period of 18 months.

The Ministry of Finance invites interested individuals to access the full version of this request for application online at <https://mof.gov.bz/procurement-opportunities/> or by scanning the QR code below, and to submit their application in accordance with the instructions provided in the full version.

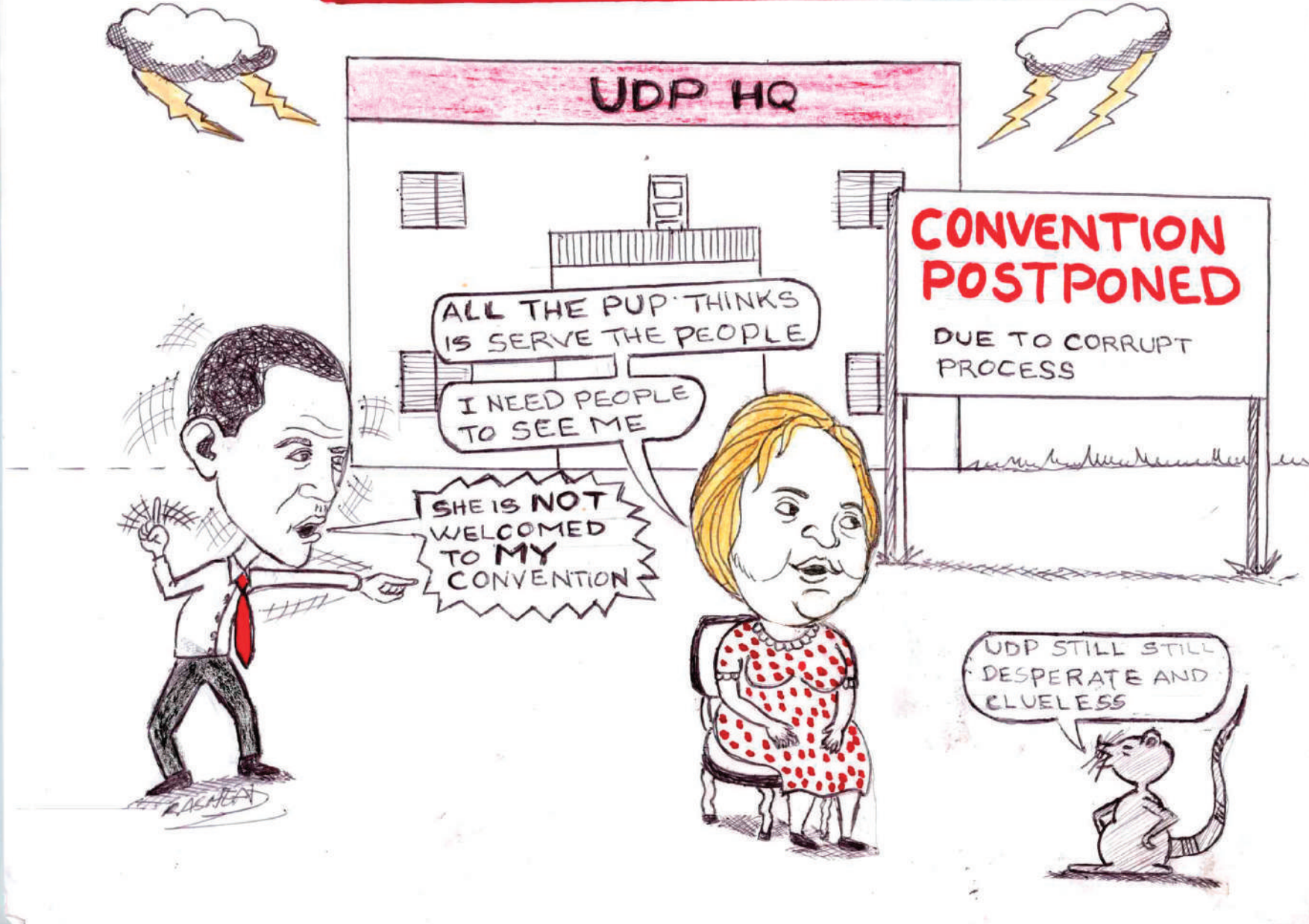
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Prime Minister Address

Hon. John Briceño
11th November 2025
Fifth Anniversary,
2020 General Election Victory

My fellow Belizeans,

This week, our Government marks the fifth anniversary since the historic mandate given to us by the Belizean people on November 11, 2020. You renewed that mandate in March of this year. These have been no ordinary five years. Recovering from the Covid pandemic, especially for the hard-hit tourism sector was rapid, and Belize has long surpassed the pre-Covid performance markers. Recovering from the 13-year UDP scourge has been more challenging. But Plan Belize delivered on multiple fronts, none more crucial than growing the economy and providing good jobs for our people.

Today, almost any Belizean who wants a job can find one. We cut the public debt in half, brought back investor confidence and dollars, and have set about renewing infrastructure in our cities, town and villages. Finally, national health insurance coverage for every Belizean is within sight. And earlier this year, we approved wage and pension increases that will total \$112 million per year to the over fifteen thousand public officers, teachers and security personnel.

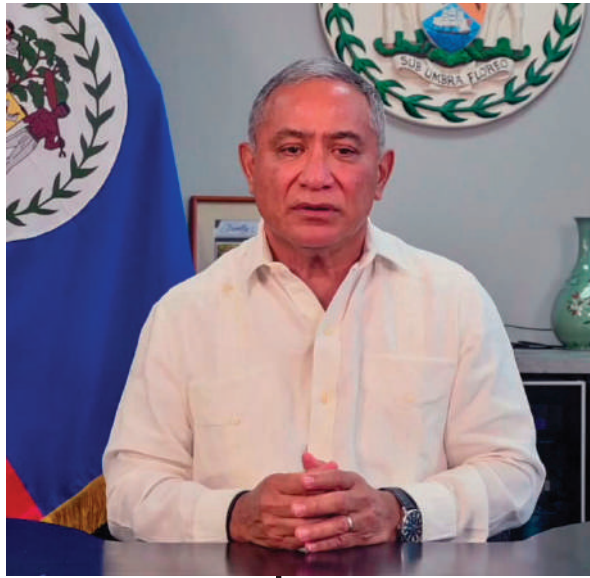
No Government has invested more in our students, teachers and classrooms. New domestic investment opportunities have arisen – recently, the Government purchased the three hydro power plants previously owned by Fortis Canada and plans to offer shares to Belizeans in this company, so that these profits remain in Belize. And, our progressive land policy has spawned tens of thousands of new land owners in every corner of the country. We took back the people’s Boledo which is now on track to earn \$30 million in a single year for the public purse.

These and many other achievements of Plan Belize show what’s possible when Government honours its compact with the people. But we also know that everyday expectations rise and new challenges emerge. And so, mindful of this week’s election anniversary, I have decided, after careful reflection, to adjust various Cabinet portfolio assignments. Francis Fonseca will return as Minister of Education, in addition to his current responsibilities. Henry Charles Usher will take on the portfolio of Home Affairs, along with the Ministry of Enterprise, responsible for free zones. Kareem Musa will now be responsible for the Ministry of Immigration, Governance and Labour. Florencio Marin, Jr. will serve as Minister of the Public Service and Disaster Risk Management. Oscar Requena assumes the Ministry of Rural Transformation, Local Government and Community Development. And finally, New Growth Industries will be conjoined with Agriculture and Food Security.

These adjustments, will, as a whole, strengthen our Executive Team while bringing a fresh approach to several difficult spheres of governance. For example, despite the massive deployments of human and financial resources and the adoption of cutting edge strategies, both education and citizen security remain areas of keen concern by the public. In both instances, though, Cabinet and the Ministries are more resolved than ever to build on the successes of the past five years, undeterred by the transnational influences that render advancement sporadic or incremental.

One other executive change I will put in place immediately is a Special Cabinet Committee to address Cost of Living issues. I will Chair this Team as Prime Minister, working alongside Ministers Requena, Fonseca, Mai, Bernard, Mira, Mahler and Garcia-Ramirez along with their CEOs. Aside from coordinating organic initiatives to address affordability, this Special Committee will specifically examine the impacts of major Government policies across government, so as to protect the purchasing power of the working and middle classes.

Everywhere we look these days, whether social media or television, there seemingly is chaos and conflict in the world. Our story has always been different – peaceful, resilient and continuously climbing to that place of greater prosperity. As pupils of George Price, service to the people should always be our high purpose as elected officials. With the blessings of the Almighty, let us persevere in our forward march. Belize forever. Belize for all.



Discurso del Primer Ministro

Hon. John Briceño
11 de noviembre de 2025
Quinto Aniversario de la Victoria en las
Elecciones Generales de 2020

Compatriotas Beliceños,

Esta semana nuestro Gobierno conmemora el quinto aniversario desde el mandato histórico que nos otorgó el pueblo beliceño el 11 de noviembre de 2020. Ustedes renovaron ese mandato en marzo de este año. Estos no han sido cinco años ordinarios. La recuperación de la pandemia de Covid, especialmente para el sector turístico, que fue muy afectado, fue rápida y Belice superó desde hace tiempo los indicadores de desempeño previos a la pandemia. Recuperarnos de los trece años del flagelo del UDP ha sido más desafiante. Pero el Plan Belice cumplió en múltiples frentes, ninguno más crucial que hacer crecer la economía y proporcionar buenos empleos para nuestra gente.

Hoy, casi cualquier beliceño que quiera un trabajo puede encontrar uno. Redujimos la deuda pública a la mitad, recuperamos la confi-

anza y las inversiones, y nos hemos dedicado a renovar la infraestructura en nuestras ciudades, pueblos y aldeas. Finalmente, la cobertura del seguro médico nacional (NHI) para todos los beliceños está por llegarle a todos. Y a principios de este año, aprobamos aumentos salariales y de pensiones por un total de \$112 millones por año para los más de quince mil funcionarios públicos, maestros y personal de seguridad.

Ningún Gobierno ha invertido más en nuestros estudiantes, maestros y aulas. Han surgido nuevas oportunidades de inversión nacional; recientemente, el Gobierno compró las tres plantas hidroeléctricas que antes eran propiedad de Fortis Canadá y planea ofrecer acciones a los beliceños en esta compañía, para que estas ganancias permanezcan en Belice. Y nuestra política de tierras progresista ha generado decenas de miles de nuevos propietarios de tierras en todos los rincones del país. Recuperamos el Boledo del pueblo, que ahora está en camino de generar \$30 millones en un solo año para las arcas públicas.

Estos y muchos otros logros del Plan Belice muestran lo que es posible cuando el Gobierno respeta su pacto con el pueblo. Pero también sabemos que las expectativas cotidianas aumentan y surgen nuevos desafíos. Y así, consciente del aniversario electoral de esta semana, he decidido, tras una cuidadosa reflexión, ajustar varias asignaciones de carteras del Gabinete. Francis Fonseca regresará como Ministro de Educación, además de sus responsabilidades actuales. Henry Charles Usher asumirá la cartera de Asuntos del Interior, junto con el Ministerio de Empresas, responsable de las zonas francas. Kareem Musa ahora será responsable para el ministerio de Inmigración, Gobernanza y Trabajo. Florencio Marin hijo se desempeñará como Ministro de la Servicio Público y Gestión de Riesgos de Desastres. Oscar Requena asume el ministerio de Transformación Rural, Gobierno Local y Desarrollo Comunitario. Y finalmente, las Nuevas Industrias de Crecimiento se unirán a Agricultura y Seguridad Alimentaria.

Estos ajustes, en su conjunto, fortalecerán nuestro Equipo Ejecutivo a la vez que aportarán un enfoque renovado a varias esferas difíciles de la gobernanza. Por ejemplo, a pesar del despliegue masivo de recursos humanos y financieros y la adopción de estrategias de vanguardia, tanto la educación como la seguridad ciudadana siguen siendo áreas de gran preocupación para el público. En ambos casos, sin embargo, el Gabinete y los Ministerios están más decididos que nunca a construir sobre los éxitos de los últimos cinco años, sin dejarse intimidar por las influencias transnacionales que hacen que el avance sea esporádico o incremental.

Otro cambio ejecutivo que implementaré de inmediato es un Comité Especial del Gabinete para abordar los problemas del Costo de Vida. Presidiré este Equipo como Primer Ministro, trabajando junto con los Ministros Requena, Fonseca, Mai, Bernard, Mahler y Garcia-Ramirez, junto con sus directores ejecutivos. Además de coordinar iniciativas orgánicas para abordar la falta de acceso, este Comité Especial examinará específicamente los impactos de las principales políticas gubernamentales en todo el gobierno, a fin de proteger el poder de las clases trabajadoras.

Por todos los medios de comunicación, ya sea en las redes sociales o en la televisión, se reporta que hay mucho caos y conflicto en el mundo. Nuestra historia siempre ha sido diferente: pacífica, resiliente y escalando continuamente hacia ese lugar de mayor prosperidad. Como alumnos de George Price, el servicio al pueblo debe ser siempre nuestro alto propósito como funcionarios electos. Con las bendiciones del Todopoderoso, perseveremos en nuestra marcha hacia adelante. Belice para siempre. Belice para todos. Muchas Gracias.

Land Clinics Continue Delivering for Belizeans

Dangriga, November 10, 2025 — The Government of Belize continues its nationwide rollout of land clinics as promised under PlanBelize and PlanBelize 2.0, ensuring that Belizeans across the country gain access to long-awaited land ownership documents. Its latest stop was Dangriga, where a two-day Land Clinic will be held on November 12 and 13, 2025, at the Russell ‘Chiste’ Auditorium from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The clinic served persons with existing land issues only, as no new applications will be accepted, as the department is currently identifying more land.



This initiative is part of the government’s broader mission to make land ownership more accessible, transparent, and efficient for Belizeans. It provides an opportunity for residents to resolve long-standing matters related to purchase approvals, titles, and permissions to survey—bringing long-overdue solutions directly to the people. The mobile land clinic model, introduced in August of 2021, has already made a significant impact in several constituencies. A recent highlight was in Collet, from September 24th to 26th, hundreds of residents benefited from on-site consultations and document processing. The effort culminated in a distribution ceremony on October 26th, where over



427 residents received their official land documents, marking a major step toward secure homeownership. Following that success, Belize Rural North hosted its own land clinic on November 6th, issuing over 400 additional land documents to residents who had been waiting years for their paperwork to be finalized.

These efforts continue to demonstrate the government’s commitment to tackling long-standing land administration challenges and restoring public confidence in the system. The Ministry of Natural Resources, in collaboration with area representatives and local partners, is ensuring that these clinics are accessible, people-centered, and focused on service delivery. Each session provides personalized support to help residents resolve issues that have delayed ownership, giving them a clearer path toward full legal possession of their property. Looking ahead, the program moves next to Port Loyola, where the Hon. Cordel Hyde, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Natural Resources, along with Hon. Gilroy Usher Sr., Area Representative for Port Loyola, will host the Port Loyola Land Clinic on November 26 and 27, 2025, at the Y.M.C.A. on Faber’s Road. Through these clinics, the Government of Belize continues to fulfill its PlanBelize promise to empower citizens with land security and to make public service more responsive and accountable. Each title, each survey, and each approval issued represents more than just paperwork—it represents stability, opportunity, and a tangible step toward building a stronger, more equitable Belize.



HAPPY GARIFUNA DAY

From Hon. Thea Garcia-Ramirez
and the Ministry of Human Development,
Family Support and Gender Affairs

WABARONGUÓUN LIDAN GARIFUNADUÁÜ:
IÚNRAHEI WARASAN, AGAHABUDA LUN
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GARIFUNA MOVING FORWARD: HONORING
TRADITION, EMBRACING CHANGE, STRENGTHENING
IDENTITY

Message from
Hon. Thea Garcia



Corozal Bay,
On November 12th it will be exactly 8 months since I was elected as your area representative. During these months I have worked diligently to provide you with a functional and responsive constituency office. Through that office we provide a range of services for the voters and residents of Corozal Bay. There have also been many other initiatives that are meant to enhance, support and revive social, educational and cultural interactions for people of all ages.

I felt it was necessary to speak out on the issue of infrastructure. During these last months, through my office, there has been work done on drains in many areas of town. Currently with the help of MIDH we are addressing many areas in the maintenance of streets. While the national budget was not yet debated and passed through the House and Senate it was already finalized in March. Corozal requires and deserves better streets and drains. Those projects take some time to plan, cost and then the budget must be identified. Good infrastructure, that reflects our shared belief in value for money, and most importantly streets that will last must be well planned and executed in line with proper supervision to ensure the highest standards are met.

I want to reassure all residents that I hear your pleas, I share your sentiments about the conditions of the roads. I live in Corozal Bay and the commute is rough! I also want to update that plans are underway to address these situations. In the meantime, we will continue the maintenance of streets, we will address the garbage situation in some critical areas and we will get things done properly. I will continue to update you and hope to have a definite timeline in the very near future. With gratitude,

PCV 13 Vaccine for
Children and Adults Introduced

November 12, 2025 -

The Ministry of Health and Wellness announces the introduction of Pneumococcal 13 (PCV13) Vaccine for children and adults.

Anyone can get Pneumococcal disease, but it is preventable with one single dose of Pneumococcal vaccine administered from 5 years of age and older. Persons with existing medical conditions and adults 65 years or older are at the highest risk.

The vaccine is a vital step to prevent illness caused by Pneumococcal bacteria that can be transmitted through direct

person-to-person contact, which is also one of the most common causes of pneumonia, ear and sinus infections, meningitis (inflammation of the covering of the brain and spinal cord), and bacteremia (Infection of the blood).

The vaccine is available at all public health centers and through the Ministry's mobile clinics.

For more information, kindly contact the Maternal and Child Health Unit, Ministry of Health and Wellness, at 880-2363 or any public health facility countrywide. (release)



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CHAPTER 54 OF THE LAWS OF BELIZE,
Edition 2023

It is hereby notified for general information that the principals of **Luxe Living Development Limited** (hereinafter called 'the Company') submitted an application for an Approved Enterprise Order under the Fiscal Incentives Act, Chapter 54 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2023.

The Company intends to develop a luxury resort located 5 miles south of San Pedro Town, Ambergris Caye, Belize District, catering to the tourism industry.

Any person who desires to object to the granting of a fiscal incentive, may submit a letter of objection, not more than seven days after the date of the second publication of the Notice of Application for the Fiscal Incentive.

The letter of objection shall be in writing and include any evidence in support of any claims made addressed to the Executive Director, Belize Trade and Investment Development Service, on or before November 27, 2025, to executive.director@beltraide.bz or call at 880-3737.

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THE FISCAL INCENTIVES
REGULATIONS
CHAPTER 54 OF THE LAWS OF BELIZE,
Edition 2023

It is hereby notified for general information that the principals of **Las Terrazas (Belize) Limited** (hereinafter called 'the Company') submitted an application for an Approved Enterprise Order under the Fiscal Incentives Act, Chapter 54 of the Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2023.

The Company operates a tourism resort located 3.5 miles north of San Pedro, Ambergris Caye, catering to the tourism industry.

Any person who desires to object to the granting of a fiscal incentive, may submit a letter of objection, not more than seven days after the date of the second publication of the Notice of Application for the Fiscal Incentive.

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Blue Bond and Finance Permanence Unit
Office of the Prime Minister
3rd Floor, Eleanor Hall Building
Lake Independence Boulevard
Belize City, Belize



CONSULTANCY OPPORTUNITY
Consultancy to Develop a Proposal for Government Strategic
Allocation (GSA) 2

The Blue Bond and Finance Permanence (BBFP) Unit within the Office of the Prime Minister, invites qualified consultancy firms to submit proposals for a consultancy to Develop a Proposal for Government Strategic Allocation (GSA) 2.

The objective of this assignment is to support the BBFP in developing a high quality and results-oriented proposal for the Government Strategic Allocation 2 (GSA 2) utilizing the Government's approved project concepts.

SPECIFIC TASKS INCLUDE:

- Review key documents, including the GSA 1 Independent Evaluation Report, approved GSA 2 concept notes, and other relevant materials.
- Engage relevant government agencies to refine approved concept notes into detailed, measurable, and feasible project proposals.
- Develop, refine, and finalize the GSA 2 proposal—integrating required logical frameworks, budgets, timelines, indicators, safeguards, gender considerations, and relevant Blue Bonds milestones and conservation commitments—and revise based on feedback from relevant partners before submitting for approval.
- Facilitate at least two validation workshops with the Blue Bonds Implementation CEO Committee and relevant partners and incorporate all feedback into the final proposal.

QUALIFICATIONS & EXPERIENCE OF CONSULTANCY FIRM:

- Legally registered consulting entity with a minimum of 5 years' experience in environmental management, natural resource governance, sustainable development, or conservation finance.
- Demonstrated experience in developing at least three (3) proposals funded by international or regional environmental financing mechanisms (e.g., GEF, GCF, IDB, World Bank).
- Experience supporting government-led initiatives in marine conservation, environmental policy, or sustainable livelihoods.
- The assignment will be carried out by a consulting firm with demonstrated experience in the design and development of donor-funded environmental and conservation projects. The firm must have the institutional capacity to coordinate multidisciplinary teams and deliver high-quality proposal packages.

Duration: December 15, 2025 – January 30, 2026

Submission Deadline: November 28, 2025, by 10:00 am (BZ Time)

Full Terms of Reference can be requested by email at:
projectmanager.bbfunit@opm.gov.bz

Only proposals submitted in accordance with the official ToR will be considered.
Only shortlisted consultants will be contacted.



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For further information, please contact us via WhatsApp at (+501) 610-4978.



**REQUEST FOR APPLICATIONS
(INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT)**



MONITORING & EVALUATION OFFICER

Institution: Ministry of Finance
Country: Belize
Project: Trade and Investment Facilitation Program for Belize
Process ID: BL-L1040 -P00040
Duration: Two (2) years
Duty Station: Central Executing Unit, Ministry of Finance, Belmopan (In Office)
Deadline: **December 5, 2025; 10:00 a.m. (Local Belize Time)**
(EXTENSION)

The Government of Belize (GOB) has received loan financing from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) for the execution of the Project: “Trade and Investment Facilitation Program for Belize”.

The Ministry of Finance, through its Central Executing Unit, intends to allocate a portion of the project’s proceeds to engage the contractual services of a “Monitoring & Evaluation Officer”.

The Ministry of Finance invites individuals to access the full version of this Request for Application and Terms of Reference (TOR) at <https://procurement.gov.bz/opportunities/> or by scanning the QR code below, and to submit application packages in accordance with the instructions provided in the full version.

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**Request for Bids – (Goods)
(One-Envelope Bidding Process)**

Country: Belize
Name of Project: Climate Resilient and Sustainable Agriculture Project
Contract Title: Supply of 7 Vehicles for SIRD, MAFSE and CRESAP
Loan No.: P172592
RFB Reference No.: BZ-SIF-518411-GO-RFB

1. The Government of Belize has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Climate Resilient and Sustainable Agriculture Project and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for Supply of Seven (7) Vehicles for SIRD, MAFSE and CRESAP.
2. The Belize Social Investment Fund now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for the Supply of 7 Vehicles for SIRD, MAFSE and CRESAP.
3. Bidding will be conducted through National competitive procurement using a Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank’s “Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers” 2020 (“Procurement Regulations”) and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.
4. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from Belize Social Investment Fund, Ms. Jahnnina Reyes, Procurement Officer, procurement.cresap@sifbelize.org and inspect the bidding document during office hours 0800 to 1700 hours at the address given below.
5. The bidding document in English may be requested by interested Bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below.
6. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before December 16th, 2025 at 10:30 AM Belize time. Electronic Bidding will not be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders’ designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend at the address below.
7. All Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of BZD \$ 62,200.00.
8. Attention is drawn to the Procurement Regulations requiring the Borrower to disclose information on the successful bidder’s beneficial ownership, as part of the Contract Award Notice, using the Beneficial Ownership Disclosure Form as included in the bidding document.
9. The address referred to above is:

*Belize Social Investment Fund
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Office of the Prime Minister Congratulates Archbishop-elect Wright

Belmopan, November 13, 2025.

Prime Minister Hon. John Briceño extends the warmest congratulations and blessings to the Most Reverend Philip S. Wright, Bishop of Belize, on his election as the new Archbishop, Primate, and Metropolitan of the Church in the Province of the West Indies.

This milestone is a moment of pride and distinction for the Anglican Community in Belize and the rest of the Caribbean. Respected among his peers across the globe, Archbishop-elect Wright is recognized as an influential figure who promotes meaningful engagement between the church and state on critical matters, such as education, social development, and justice.

Prime Minister Briceño and the Government of Belize wish Archbishop-elect Wright, his family, and the Anglican Diocese of Belize a smooth transition as he prepares to assume leadership of the church in the Province of the West Indies.

Belize Sends Hurricane Relief Assistance to Jamaica and Cuba

Belmopan, November 11, 2025.

The Government of Belize has contributed US\$200,000 each to the Government of Jamaica and the Government of the Republic of Cuba to support immediate humanitarian relief following the devastation caused by Hurricane Melissa, which severely impacted both countries.

Hurricane Melissa, one of the most powerful hurricanes to emerge in the Atlantic Ocean, caused extensive damage to homes, public infrastructure, and essential services. The impact of Hurricane Melissa reminds us of the deadly and costly impacts of climate change, which disproportionately affect small island developing states.

In addition to the financial assistance, the Government of Belize has dispatched relief supplies to Belizean students in Jamaica and Cuba. The initial shipment included essential personal hygiene items, canned food supplies, and cash to assist our students.

The Government of Belize continues to monitor the situation closely and stands ready to provide additional support as needed.

Belize stands in steadfast solidarity with the governments and peoples of Jamaica and the Republic of Cuba as they work toward recovery and reconstruction. Our countries remain united by an enduring bond of friendship, cooperation, and mutual support.

MHD – UNICEF Launch Sensitization Training

Rights-Based Approach for Migrant Children

November 12, 2025 - The Ministry of Human Development, Family Support and Gender Affairs, in partnership with UNICEF Belize, has launched a sensitization training on the Rights-Based Policy and Protocol for Migrant Children and Families Transiting Belize.

This important initiative brings together frontline public officers and partner agencies who play a key role in providing protection and support services to unaccompanied migrant children and families in vulnerable situations.

The sessions, led by Dr. Melanie Smith, Sociologist and Consultant, aim to strengthen understanding and

implementation of a coordinated, trauma-informed, and rights-based approach to migration management. Through these discussions, participants are exploring how to better apply Belize's



policy and protocol when identifying, assessing, and supporting migrant children in need of care and protection.

This collaborative effort reflects Belize's continued commitment to safeguarding the rights, dignity, and well-being of all children, regardless of migration status, while promoting stronger coordination among national and regional partners in the protection of children on the move.

Area Rep Leal-Taiwan Embassy Assessing Funded Flooded Area in BRN

Hon. Marconi Leal Jr. alongside The Belize Livestock Producers Association (BLPA) and H.E. Lily Li-Wen Hsu, the Ambassador of the Republic of China (Taiwan) visited farms in Flowers Bank, Bermudian Landing, and Crooked Tree to observe the impact of Taiwan's USD 100,000 disaster relief assistance to over 100 farmers last year. In addition to the relief hay that was provided, this support has improved cattle

feed production and storage, enabling farmers to maintain livestock in times of need.

It has been especially critical following the severe flooding caused by Tropical Storm Sara in November of last year. Through continued collaboration, Belizean farmers will be better equipped to recover, rebuild, and strengthen their resilience against future challenges.



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The Work Continues

Prime Minister John Briceño, OW Central Youth PM Cameera Caliz



Pre-November 14 Youth Parliament

Min. Francis Fonseca, (Freetown), Foreign Affairs, Foreign Trade



At 4th EU-CELAC Summit w/ PM Drew & FM Douglas of St. Kitts and Nevis

Hon. Marconi Leal, Jr. w/ Ambassador Lily Li-Wen Hsu and the BLP



All Over BRN assessing flood funding success

REMEMBRANCE DAY
11-11-11, Lest we Forget



Official Ceremonies in Belize City

District Assn of Village Councils (DAVCO)



New Belize District Executive



Bernardo Bennett, New President Belize District DAVCO

Aron Tzib, New President Cayo DAVCO

Hons. Martinez, Requena, Ferguson, Zabaneh



Successful PUP Southern Caucus Meeting

Hon. Ramon Cervantes, OW North



Meeting w/ Youth Parliamentarian Adain Gonzalez

Min. Francis Fonseca, (Freetown), Immigration



Accepting Donation of Migration Information and Data Analysis System



In Corozal Town w/ Hon. Thea's full support

WORKS ALL OVER BELIZE



MIDH on the Hummingbird



MIDH by Calla Creek, Cayo



MIDH in Crooked Tree



MIDH in Corozal Bay



By the Corozal Town Council

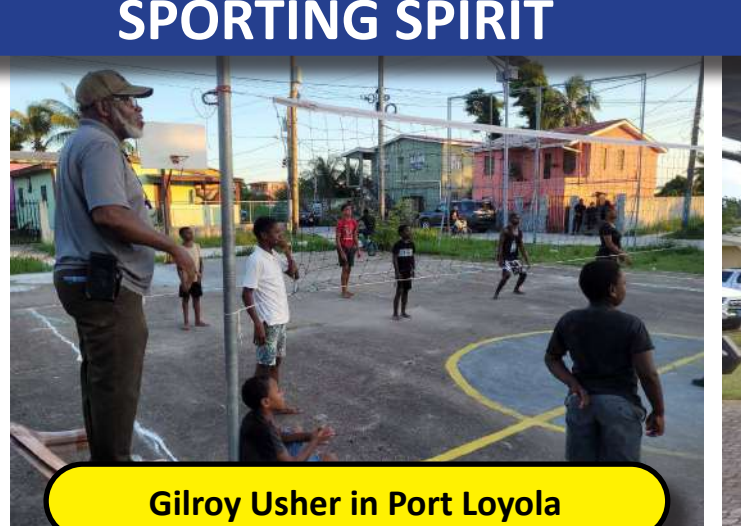


By the OWTC in OW East

SPORTING SPIRIT



Champ of Champ in OW by OWTC, Hon. Thea, Football Assn, and others



Gilroy Usher in Port Loyola



Min. Mira supporting BDF's Half Marathons, (male and female)



Belize Commences its 4th WTO Trade Policy Review

A Step for National Development



The Government of Belize is proud to announce the commencement of the country's 4th Trade Policy Review (TPR) by the World Trade Organization (WTO). This five-day in-country consultation mission was formally opened by the Minister of State for Foreign Trade, Hon. Marconi Leal, Jr.

A Crucial Exercise for Belize's Future
Minister Leal emphasized that the TPR is one of the most vital strategic exercises a WTO member undertakes. For a small and vulnerable economy like Belize, its importance is magnified, serving as a powerful tool for economic development and global integration.
"The Trade Policy Review helps Belize monitor its own progress, secure our position in the global trading system, and drive meaningful domestic economic reform," stated Minister Leal.
This transparency exercise provides an objective roadmap for reform, aiming to boost national competitiveness, attract investment, and create opportunities for all Belizeans by streamlining trade practices and ensuring compliance with international rules. (post)

Strengthening Migration Info and Data Analysis

Thanks to Key EU-IOM Initiative



Belmopan, 7 November 2025 – The International Organization for Migration (IOM), in partnership with the European Union (EU), officially handed over critical ICT equipment to the Ministry of Immigration to expand the use of Belize's Migration Information and Data Analysis System (MIDAS) at key entry points in the country.
The donation, funded by the EU, includes 12 rugged laptops with accessories, 3 servers, 3 network-attached storage (NAS) units, and 55 desktop computers, which

will significantly enhance Belize's ability to collect, store, and analyze traveler data in real time. The total value of the equipment donation is BZ\$218,000.00.
Developed by IOM and deployed in over 30 countries, MIDAS is a secure, real-time border management system designed to collect, process, and analyze travelers' data across border networks.
"This upgrade is a significant step toward modernizing our border management infrastructure," stated CEO of Immigration, Tanya Santos.

"It will also enhance data security and system integrity, allowing us to meet modern international standards."
The equipment was donated in the framework of a

larger EU-funded initiative implemented by the IOM to enhance border management capacities, security, and cross-border facilitation in Belize by adopting a comprehensive Integrated Border Management (IBM) approach.
"For a country addressing challenges such as irregular migration, fraudulent travel documents, and limited real-time data, MIDAS provides a practical, scalable solution for faster, more informed decision-making," explained IOM Belize's Head of Office, Diana Locke.
Speaking on behalf of the EU, EU representative Elizabeth Lanzi Mazzocchini emphasized the importance of this partnership: "The EU as a political and economic Union of 27 European countries that collaborate on a range of policies and regulations to promote integration, trade and cooperation has developed significant experience in integrated border management. We work through partnerships, contributing exchange, expertise, innovation and modern solutions to share some of our experience. We are very pleased to collaborate closely with Belize to enhance its border management capacity."
The donation of equipment is accompanied by additional support funded by the EU to ensure its long-term use and sustainability. This includes user training, maintenance support, sustainability planning, and the development of Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) for the effective use of the MIDAS system in Belize. (release)

LETTER TO THE Editor



Celebrating the Spirit of Garifuna Settlement Day

Dear Editor,
As November 19th approaches, I join the rest of the nation in wishing all Belizeans—especially our Garifuna brothers and sisters—a joyful and blessed Garifuna Settlement Day.
This year's theme, "Garifuna Moving Forward: Honoring Tradition, Embracing Change, Strengthening Identity"—or in its native language, "Garifuna: Wabaronguóun lidan Garifunaduúii: iúnrahei warasan, agahabuda lun sánsiguatí, inebe-sei lun wanichigu"—beautifully encapsulates what this day represents. As the National Garifuna Council notes, it is a "cherished national observance that honours the enduring legacy, vibrant culture, and resilient spirit of the Garifuna people of Belize."
Garifuna Settlement Day is more than a holiday—it is a celebration of survival, unity, and identity. From the melodic rhythms of Punta and the soulful beats of the drums of freedom to the traditional dishes and the preservation of the Garifuna language, every element reminds us of a people who have endured, adapted, and thrived.
As we reflect on this year's theme, may we continue to honor the traditions of the past while embracing the changes that strengthen our collective future. Let us celebrate with pride, peace, and solidarity, recognizing that our cultural diversity is what makes Belize truly unique.
Happy Garifuna Settlement Day, Belize! May the rhythm of the drums of freedom remind us that our unity is our greatest strength.
Seremei,
Proud Belizean

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GARIFUNA SETTLEMENT DAY

CELEBRATING THE HERITAGE OF THE GARIGANU

By Hilly Bennett

Belizeans at home and abroad, as well as the Garifuna Nation, are getting ready to celebrate Garifuna Settlement Day on November 18th and 19th, 2025.

This year's theme is "Garifuna Moving Forward: Honoring Tradition, Embracing Change, Strengthening Identity" which is the translation for the native language "Garifuna: Wabaronguoun lidan Garifun-adauau: iunrahei warasan, agahabuda lun sansiguau, inebesei lun wanichigu".

According to a statement by the National Garifuna Council, the theme captures the "Cherished national observance that honors the enduring legacy, vibrant culture and resilient spirit of the Garifuna people of Belize".

Garifuna Settlement Day celebrates the arrival of the Garinagu to the shores of Belize in 1832. Today, we recognised the Garifuna Nation for their contributions to the development of the Jewel in areas such as education, as teachers; health, as doctors; and the wider public service. We also acknowledged their significant cultural contributions to the music industry in Belize, their rich cuisine, and the array of dances. An important part of the culture is the spiritualism that embodies the culture. This exemplifies the resilience of a people in the safeguarding and preservation of tradition and culture.

Garifuna Settlement Day was first celebrated, through the efforts of activist Thomas Vincent Ramos, as Disembarkation Day in 1941 solely in the Stann Creek District and two years later in 1943 Punta Gorda began the celebrations there. However, in 1977, Garifuna Settlement Day officially became a public and bank holiday in Belize.

As we begin to celebrate this year, many will join in the festivities without recognizing the persecution, and travails of the Garinagu at the hands of the colonialists. Many years of conflict and unrest by the colonial forces drove the Garinagu from their homeland (Yurumein) of Saint Vincent. In 1797 some 5,000 Garifuna people were forced out, relocating to the Bay island of Roatan Honduras. Eventually, as part of the exodus they came to Belize. On November 19th, 1893 led by Alejo Beni the Garifuna people were allowed to settle on the coast of Southern Belize. Although Dangriga considered the Culture Capital was the first place to settle, other areas in the South such as Hopkins, Seine Bight, and George Town began to develop.

In 2001, UNESCO proclaimed the Garifuna language, including the music and dance, as a masterpiece of the Oral and Intangible Heritage of Humanity. As we begin to celebrate Garifuna Settlement

Day, the joyous occasion lets us recognize the remarkable resilience of people who continue to preserve and safeguard the heritage that has added to the multicultural fabric of the Belizean landscape.

"Au Bun, Amuru Nu Hagaburibei Garinagu; Awanserserameme Wama Lau". "I for You, You for me is the Garifuna Way; Let Us Continue to Move Forward".



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Southern Caucus Successful Meeting

Dangriga, Saturday, November 8, 2025

The People’s United Party’s Southern Caucus met today to discuss priority issues affecting the four constituencies in the Stann Creek and Toledo districts. Present were the four Area Representatives, Honorables Osmond Martinez (Toledo East), Oscar Requena (Toledo West and Chairman of the Caucus), Rodwell Ferguson (Stann Creek West), and Louis Zabaneh (Dangriga), along with their respective delegates.

The Mayor of Dangriga, Robert Mariano, welcomed the delegations, and the meeting was led by Chairman Hon. Oscar Requena. Each representative spoke of the particular challenges and opportunities within their constituencies, and common themes included the need for more infrastructure investment, requests for electricity and water expansion, and social and economic development.

The delegations expressed their appreciation for the leadership of Prime Minister John Briceno and the contributions of colleagues, and reviewed the many accomplishments made since coming to office in November of 2020. The Caucus agreed to prepare a development plan for the south and to work closely together in achieving the objectives of the plan.

Finally, the Caucus participants expressed well-wishes to Ms. Isabella Zabaneh, our queen from the South, as she attends the Ms. Universe contest in Thailand, and also wish everyone a safe, enjoyable, and memorable Garifuna Settlement Day celebrations. (release)



Belize Welcomes Visa Cascade for Belizeans European Commission Decision

November 12, 2025 - The Government of Belize welcomes the decision of the European Commission to approve a visa cascade for Belizean nationals who are holders of regular, official, and diplomatic biometric passports. The decision, which takes immediate effect, has been formally communicated to Hon. Francis Fonseca, Minister of Foreign Affairs.

Under this new arrangement, Belizean nationals applying at Schengen embassies in Guatemala or Mexico will now be eligible for five-year multiple-entry Schengen visas.

This measure represents the most generous adaptation of the EU Visa Code rules available to nationals of a third country. Belizeans granted a Schengen visa may now benefit from a five-year validity period, eliminating the need for repeat applications during that time, provided their biometric passports remain valid.

The European Commission’s decision reflects the strong and enduring partnership between the European Union and Belize and recognises that there are no particular security concerns associated with the travel of Belizean citizens to the EU.

This important development will facilitate greater mobility and people-to-people connections, encouraging tourism, business, educational exchange, and family visits between Belize and the European Union.

The Government of Belize conveys its appreciation to the European Commission for this step in strengthening the longstanding relationship between Belize and the European Union. (release)

More information may be gathered at <https://www.atlys.com/blog/schengen-visa-cascade-system>.

INFOGRAPHIC

Belizeans are now eligible for multiple-entry Schengen visas

12th November 2025



Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Government of BELIZE

		AMENDMENT No. 1 INTERNATIONAL PUBLIC COMPETITION PROCESS N° CABEI-CS 001-2147/2025		
Currently reads		To be read from now on		
Introduction (Extension of Deadline Submission)				
Request for Proposals				
3.3 Presentation of Proposals	Proposals must be sent to the address listed below no later than November 25, 2025, at 10:00 a.m.	3.3 Presentation of Proposals	Proposals must be sent to the address listed below no later than December 8, 2025, at 10:00 a.m.	
Section II. Competition Data (CD)				
Section II Competition Data 15.1	The deadline for requesting clarifications shall be no later than Monday, November 10th, 2025. If clarifications are deemed necessary for the preparation of proposals, communications should be addressed to: Attention: Elvis Requena Address: 1904 Constitution Drive Floor number: 2nd, Floor City: Belmopan Country: Belize Phone: (501) 828-6102 E-mail addresses: projectcoordinator.bisp@met.gov.bz and copy technical.supervision_bisp@met.gov.bz	Section II Competition Data 15.1	The deadline for requesting clarifications shall be no later than Monday, November 17th, 2025. If clarifications are deemed necessary for the preparation of proposals, communications should be addressed to: Attention: Elvis Requena Address: 1904 Constitution Drive Floor number: 2nd, Floor City: Belmopan Country: Belize Phone: (501) 828-6102 E-mail addresses: projectcoordinator.bisp@met.gov.bz and copy technical.supervision_bisp@met.gov.bz	
Section II Competition Data 15.2	The Contracting Party shall respond to the queries from the consultants for the preparation of their proposals no later than Thursday, 13 th November 2025.	Section II Competition Data 15.2	The Contracting Party shall respond to the queries from the consultants for the preparation of their proposals no later than Thursday, 20 th November 2025.	
Section II Competition Data 20.9	Proposals shall be submitted by: Date: 25th November 2025 Time: 10:00 a.m. The address for the submission of Proposals is: Project Coordinator Belize Integral Security Programme (BISP) Programme Executing Unit 1904 Constitution Drive 2nd Floor, Unit #3 Belmopan City, Belize C.A.	Section II Competition Data 20.9	Proposals shall be submitted by: Date: 8th December 2025 Time: 10:00 a.m. The address for the submission of Proposals is: Project Coordinator Belize Integral Security Programme (BISP) Programme Executing Unit 1904 Constitution Drive 2nd Floor, Unit #3 Belmopan City, Belize C.A.	

Ministry of Investment Inaugurates Tilapia Tanks at St. Viator High School

On Thursday, November 6, 2025, the Ministry of Investment, through the Investment Policy and Compliance Unit (IPCU), in collaboration with the Aquaculture Unit of the Ministry of Agriculture, Food Security and Enterprise and the Chunox St. Viator Vocational High School, completed training in tilapia farming and inaugurated two locally assembled tilapia culture tanks.

It was funded by the Government of Belize through the project "Regional Economic Development Master Plan for the Corozal District." Each tank has been designed and built by Belizean technicians to produce 300 tilapia over five months. All materials for the project were sourced in Belize.

Thirteen students were awarded certificates in tilapia husbandry by Hon. Florencio Marin Jr., Minister of Rural Transformation, Community Development, Labour and Local Government, and Mr. Michael Sosa, Director of the Aquaculture Unit in the Ministry of Agriculture, Food Security and Enterprise. Also present at the inauguration were Mr. Lincoln Blake, Director of the Investment Policy and Compliance Unit (IPCU) in the Ministry of Investment; Mr. Marconie Moh, Principal; Mr. Francisco Magaña, Chairman of the Board of Directors of St. Viator Vocational High School; and Mr. Juan Carlos Menzies, the Managing Director of Caracol Architectural Designs, who assisted with tank construction.

The Corozal Think Tank is the steering committee of the Regional Economic Development Master Plan for the Corozal District. It is comprised of a group of Government representatives and professionals from the Corozal District, who are tasked with monitoring and implementing the projects under the master plan. Residents of the Corozal District are encouraged to visit the school to learn about the Belizean- designed tilapia tanks or to contact the Ministry of Investment for further information. (release)



Office of the Prime Minister - Corozal
Think Tank - IPCU

BAC Inaugurates Smart Classroom



What a beautiful morning spent at Belize Adventist College for the inauguration of their new Smart Classroom!

This project, done through the Corozal Think Tank, IPCU, and the Office of the Prime Minister, is all about giving our students the chance to learn with the kind of technology that opens doors. They'll now have training in 3D modelling, a 3D printer with a year's supply of filaments, and 15 new computers to help them grow and explore new skills.

Hon. Thea: "I'm so proud of everyone who made this possible and grateful to see our community coming together for education. When we invest in our young people, we invest in the future of Corozal." (Post)

This initiative aims to enhance students' learning experiences by providing them with hands-on access to technology and tools that foster computer literacy, technical proficiency, and software competence, empowering them to excel both inside and beyond the classroom.



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Ms. Lizett Bell, Chief Nursing Officer, Ministry of Health & Wellness



PACT – Municipalities

Enhancing Urban Planning & Climate Resilience

IT Equipment Donation



Belmopan, Belize, November 12, 2025 — The Protected Areas Conservation Trust (PACT) officially handed over Information Technology (IT) equipment to all nine city and town councils on November 11, during a ceremony held at the Ministry of Sustainable Development Auditorium in Belmopan.

Each municipality received a laptop, monitor, mouse and licensed geographic information system (GIS) software to support informed urban planning using improved data and analysis. The equipment is part of a larger set of resources, purchased under the Green Climate Fund (GCF) Readiness 10 Programme, which will also benefit the Belize Association of Professional Planners (BAPP). Valued at BZ\$43,603.13, the equipment also includes tablets, GPS devices, and a drone. An additional BZ\$20,753.44 was invested to purchase the specialised mapping software and licenses.

These resources complement a series of training workshops delivered through the project in partnership with BAPP. The workshops focused on leadership, resource mobilization, communication, and urban data management for climate-resilient human settlements and infrastructure.

In her remarks, CEO Milagro Matus, Chair of PACT's Board of Directors said, "This handover represents a tangible step forward in strengthening institutional capacity to build climate-resilient communities across the country." Speaking directly to the beneficiary municipalities, she added, "Your teams are now better equipped to use spatial analysis tools to support the development of climate-smart towns and cities."

The initiative is part of the US\$998,037.00 GCF Readiness 10 Programme for building climate-resilient infrastructure and sustainable urban land management. PACT is implementing the programme in partnership with the Ministry of Economic Transformation, the Ministry of Infrastructure Development and Housing, the Ministry of Natural Resources, Petroleum and

The programme supports Belize's priority of making climate change a key part of national planning and development. Local governments now have the tools and knowledge to better prepare their communities and infrastructure for climate challenges. (release)



Belize Government Lotteries Limited Announces Transition from Google Play Store App to a Web Portal

November 12th, 2025 - The Belize Government Lotteries Limited (BGLL) wishes to inform all valued customers that the Fi We Boledo App will no longer be available for download on the Google Play Store.

This unforeseen change comes as a result of the Google Play Store's policy restrictions regarding gambling apps. While Google initially approved the app, a further review resulted in the determination that the app involves the purchase of lottery tickets for real money; a feature that Google does not support for distribution in certain countries, including Belize. Current customers who have already downloaded the app can continue to use it to purchase Boledo, Jackpot, and Ordinary Lottery. However, any future app updates would not be available to those users.

Belize Government Lotteries Ltd. through its commitment to drive progress through innovation, is already a step ahead and has developed a web portal to provide yet another way to purchase your favorite lottery games from your desktop or mobile device, anytime, anywhere! The web portal is available to all users at fiweboledo.bz and offers the same easy to use features as the app version.

All existing customer information remains safe and accessible through the portal, ensuring a smooth transition for every player. This means that your current login information can be used to access the portal which will contain all your past purchase and winning history. There is no need to create a new account.

Belize Government Lotteries Ltd. further advises all customers that the Apple Play Store DOES allow licensed apps that facilitate online gambling to be distributed in Belize. Therefore, IOS users will NOT be affected in any way and may choose to continue playing on the app or at fiweboledo.bz. The choice is yours!

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Specific Procurement Notice



Request for Bids – (Goods) (One-Envelope Bidding Process)

Country: Belize

Name of Project: Climate Resilient and Sustainable Agriculture Project

Contract Title: Supply and Delivery of Tractor and Small Machinery for Central Farm and SIRD's Agricultural Field Operations

Loan No.: P172592

RFB Reference No.: BZ-SIF-522791-GO-RFB

1. The Government of Belize has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the *Climate Resilient and Sustainable Agriculture Project* and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for Supply and Delivery of Tractor and Small Machinery for Central Farm and SIRD's Agricultural Field Operations
2. The Belize Social Investment Fund now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for the Supply and Delivery of Tractor and Small Machinery for Central Farm and SIRD's Agricultural Field Operations.
3. Bidding will be conducted through National competitive procurement using a Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" 2020 ("Procurement Regulations") and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.
4. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from Belize Social Investment Fund, Ms. Jahnnina Reyes, Procurement Officer, procurement.cresap@sifbelize.org and inspect the bidding document during office hours 0800 to 1700 hours at the address given below.
5. The bidding document in English may be requested by interested Bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below.
6. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before December 16th, 2025 at 2:00 PM Belize time. Electronic Bidding will not be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend at the address below.
7. All Bids must be accompanied by a *Bid Security* of BZD \$ 38,221.00
8. Attention is drawn to the Procurement Regulations requiring the Borrower to disclose information on the successful bidder's beneficial ownership, as part of the Contract Award Notice, using the Beneficial Ownership Disclosure Form as included in the bidding document.
9. The address referred to above is:

Belize Social Investment Fund

Ms. Jahnnina Reyes, Procurement Officer

P.O. Box 459, 2nd Floor Building C, 4253 Hummingbird Highway,

City of Belmopan, Belize C.A.

Tel: +501-822-0239

procurement.cresap@sifbelize.org

Ministry of Human Development,
Family Support and Gender Affairs

Cabinet Update

Progress of National Response to Gender-Based Violence



Belmopan, Belize. November 7, 2025. The Ministry of Human Development, Family Support and Gender Affairs this week provided Cabinet and the Women’s Parliamentary Caucus with an update on the progress of Belize’s national response to gender-based violence (GBV). This response is guided by the National Gender-Based Violence Action Plan (2024–2030), which is embedded within the Revised National Gender Policy (2024–2030).

The Ministry reported significant progress in the areas of policy and legislative reform, as well as in public awareness and advocacy initiatives targeting vulnerable populations across the country—including women, men, boys, and girls. These efforts form part of the Government’s continued commitment to advancing gender equality, safeguarding human rights, and strengthening institutional support for survivors of violence.

In collaboration with the Attorney General’s Ministry, the Ministry of Home Affairs, the Family Court, and the Justices of the Peace Association, the Ministry has worked on amendments to the Justices of the Peace Act and the Domestic Violence Act to empower Senior Justices of the Peace to sign interim protection orders when a magistrate is not available. This measure expands protection for victims, particularly during emergencies or after regular court hours. The proposed amendments will be tabled in Parliament at the next sitting of the House of Representatives.

Looking ahead, as part of the upcoming 16 Days of Activism Against Gender-Based Violence, the National Women’s Commission (NWC) will lead national consultations on a revised Domestic Violence Bill. This new Bill modernizes Belize’s legislative response to domestic and intimate partner violence by integrating provisions from the Cybersecurity Act, Protection of Witnesses Act, Electronic Evidence Act, Electronic Transactions Act, and the Legal Aid Act, along with the recently proposed amendments to the Justices of the Peace Act.

The revised Bill will also increase penalties for perpetrators and expand the classification of domestic violence offenses, linking them to broader categories of crimes for which offenders can be charged. These reforms aim to ensure stronger accountability, greater access to justice, and enhanced protection for survivors.

The Ministry reaffirms its commitment to working collaboratively with partners across government, civil society, and communities to build a Belize where all persons—women, men, boys, and girls—can live free from violence and discrimination.(release)

MSME Tax Amnesty Roadshow Concludes

Nationwide Registration Continues to End of December 2025

Belmopan, November 8, 2025 — The Government of Belize’s Fiscal Incentive MSME Business Tax Amnesty Roadshow has officially wrapped up after an extensive nationwide campaign that brought registration and tax relief opportunities directly to entrepreneurs in every district. The final stop took place on November 7th in Punta Gorda at the St. Peter Claver Parish Hall, where over 195 business owners received assistance in some way—marking a strong conclusion to the successful program.

The roadshow, spearheaded by the Office of the Prime Minister, in partnership with BELTRAIDE, the Investment Policy and Compliance Unit (IPCU), the Belize Tax Service (BTS), the Belize Companies and Corporate Affairs Registry (BCCAR), the Economic Development Council (EDC), and the Ministry of Local Government, has reached thousands of small business owners across Belize.

From Belize City to Corozal, San Ignacio to San Pedro, and finally Punta Gorda, the initiative provided on-the-spot registration, consultations, and certification services to Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) seeking to formalize their businesses and benefit from tax exemptions. Each stop highlighted the growing enthusiasm of entrepreneurs who were eager to participate in the formal economy.

The amnesty program offers qualifying businesses the opportunity to clear outstanding business tax penalties and interest, and to enjoy up to one year of business tax exemption. It has become one of the government’s most impactful initiatives under

its ongoing efforts to strengthen Belize’s small business sector — a vital contributor to national employment and innovation.

The success of the roadshow is due to strong inter-agency collaboration and the active engagement of Belizean entrepreneurs. Each session reflected the government’s vision of empowering MSMEs to access financial services, government tenders, and future fiscal incentives through formalization.

With the conclusion of the roadshow, the government has extended the MSME Tax Amnesty Programme until December 31, 2025, giving businesses additional time to complete their applications and receive their Tax Amnesty Certificates. This extension ensures that no eligible MSME is left behind, and that every business has the chance to benefit from the program’s tax relief measures.

Entrepreneurs who missed the roadshow can still apply online by visiting beltraide.bz/msme-tax-amnesty-programme and clicking “Apply Now.” They can also reach out to:

- BELTRAIDE’s Small Business Development Center (SBDC Belize) at 280-3195 or sbdc@beltraide.bz
- Investment Policy & Compliance Unit (IPCU) at 880-4728 / 880-4729 or belizeInvestment@invest.gov.bz

With the final leg completed and the program’s deadline extended, the government’s message remains clear:

There’s still time to register, reform, and rise — because Belize’s economic future begins with its small businesses.



REQUEST FOR APPLICATIONS (INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT)



PROJECT MANAGER

Institution: Ministry of Finance
Country: Belize
Project: Belize Reliant and Resilient Energy System Project
Process ID: BZ-CEU-481675-CS-INDV-2
Duration: Two (2) years
Duty Station: Ministry of Finance, Belmopan (In Office)
Deadline: **December 5, 2025; 10:00 a.m. (Local Belize Time)**

The Government of Belize (GOB) has received loan financing from the World Bank (WB) for the execution of the “Belize Reliant and Resilient Energy System Project, to be implemented by the Ministry of Finance.”

The Ministry of Finance, through its Central Executing Unit, intends to allocate a portion of the project’s proceeds to engage the contractual services of a “**Project Manager**”.

The Ministry of Finance invites individuals to access the full version of this Request for Application and Terms of Reference (TOR) at [MOF- Project Manager – Individual Consultant – 0033 – MOF – 2025 - Procurement Portal](#) or by scanning the QR code below, and to submit application packages in accordance with the instructions provided in the full version.

ATTN:
Procurement Specialist
Ministry of Finance
2nd Floor, Sir Edney Cain Building, Belmopan
Tel: 501-822-4106
procurement@ceu.mof.gov.bz



REQUEST FOR BIDS (RFB) (COMPANY)

DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF MARKET COMPLEX, ORANGE WALK TOWN, BELIZE

Institution: Ministry of Finance
Country: Belize, Central America
Project: Sustainable and Inclusive Urban Development Program
Process ID: BL-L1046 – P00029
Deadline: **December 30th, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. (Local Belize Time)**

The Government of Belize has received loan financing from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) for the implementation of the Sustainable and Inclusive Urban Development Program.

The Ministry of Finance, through its Central Executing Unit, intends to allocate a portion of the Program’s proceeds to procure the services of a Company for the “**Design and Construction of Market Complex, Orange Walk Town, Belize**”, and invites eligible and qualified bidders to submit sealed bids for these works.

Interested companies can access the full version of this RFB online at <https://mof.gov.bz/procurement-opportunities/> or by scanning the QR code below, and submit their bid in accordance with the instructions provided in the full version of the RFB.

ATTN:
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Resilient Bold Belize
WWF GEF Blue and Green Islands IP Child Project
Blue Bond and Finance Permanence Unit
Terms of Reference:
Project Communications Specialist



Background
As part of the Blue and Green Islands GEF8 Integrated program, the Resilient Bold Belize project aims to secure the long-term conservation and resilience of Belize’s marine and coastal ecosystems, promoting nature-based livelihoods and the wellbeing of Belizeans.

The Belize project will catalyze a Project Finance for Permanence (PFP) initiative, a major private- public partnership, led by the Blue Bond and Finance Permanent Unit within the Office of Prime Minister. The PFP will integrate the value of nature into the tourism and fisheries sectors, strengthen policy coherence, institutional capacity for gender inclusive conservation planning, and strengthen capacities for financial planning and domestic resource mobilization. The proposed PFP approach will foster impactful outcomes resulting in improved management coastal PAs, MPAs, plus mangrove and other coastal ecosystems outside of the formal PA system, and improvement of targeted communities’ livelihoods.

A cornerstone of this project is partnership with Belize’s coastal and fishing communities. These communities are at the frontlines of conservation and resource management, and their participation, knowledge, and stewardship are critical to the project’s success. As such, communication and outreach efforts must go beyond awareness-raising and actively engage communities in shaping, owning, and sustaining conservation outcomes.

The Communications Specialist will therefore play a pivotal role in bridging the gap between technical conservation efforts, government priorities, and the lived realities of local stakeholders. By translating complex information into accessible messages, facilitating dialogue with fisherfolk and community leaders, and ensuring that community voices are reflected in national and global platforms, the Specialist will help strengthen trust, participation, and long-term sustainability of conservation initiatives in Belize.

Objective
Under the supervision of the Project Manager, the Communication Specialist will aim to increase overall visibility of the project and its achievements and ensure communications on and around the project actions and impacts are disseminated on national and international levels. The engagement of a dedicated communication staff member will provide consistent, high-quality and effective products that can strengthen the project implementation in Belize and share best practices and key learnings with a wider audience through the BGI-IP Hub and Global Coordination Project. Strategic communications activities and knowledge management products may be used to facilitate future PFP and BGI-IP initiatives and will be shared broadly. The communications specialist will also play a key role in connecting with the larger Blue and Green Islands Integrated Program under the GEF, sharing communications products and collaborating on best practices.

Roles and Responsibilities
The Communications Specialist will be responsible for the following:

- 1. Strategic Communication and Outreach:**
 - Develop and implement a project communication plan that raises awareness of the Resilient Bold Belize (RBB) Project, ensuring alignment with the BBFP Communication Strategy and Implementation plan, national priorities and community realities.
 - Produce and disseminate communication products (print, broadcast, audiovisual, and digital) tailored to diverse audiences including government, civil society, academia, donors, and local coastal/ fishing communities.
 - Translate technical and policy information into clear, accessible messages that resonate with fisherfolk and other community stakeholders.
 - Develop a publicly accessible website hosted by BBFP U for the project, to showcase project documents, lessons learned and project successes.
- 2. Community and Stakeholder Engagement:**
 - Lead communication and outreach activities with protected areas managers, ensuring the use of clear, culturally appropriate, and participatory approaches that support their role in conservation and stakeholder engagement using culturally appropriate and participatory approaches.
 - Organize and deliver presentations, workshops, and dialogues with fisherfolk, community leaders, and stakeholders to share project goals, progress, and opportunities.
 - Support executing partners (MPA and PA managers) in organizing regional/ local stakeholder meetings and lead an annual national-level meeting to inform stakeholders, decision-makers, media, and the public on project progress.
 - Contribute to the organization of events planned as part of the project
- 3. Media Relations and Social Media:**
 - Build and maintain strong relationships with media outlets to ensure accurate and consistent coverage of RBB project activities.
 - Plan and coordinate media events, press releases, radio programs, and campaigns that highlight project achievements and lessons learned.
 - Develop and manage the project’s online presence, including website updates, social media posts, and engagement on platforms such as Facebook, Instagram, and YouTube; ensure the platforms are updated weekly.
- 4. Knowledge Management and Documentation:**
 - Support in the development of the project’s promotional material and publications.
 - Collect, document and produce lessons learned, good practices, and success stories for dissemination nationally, regionally, and globally.
 - Ensure the editing of project document (reports, presentations, etc.) and alignment with WWF GEF and Government of Belize Communications guidelines and branding.
 - Collaborate with the Monitoring, Evaluation & Knowledge Management Officer to capture and present project progress and lessons at national, regional, and international forums.
 - Maintain a photo/ video database and ensure proper storage of communication materials for long-term use.
- 5. Coordination and Technical Support:**
 - Collaborate closely with the Project Manager, BBFP Unit, partner agencies, and community organizations to ensure coherence in communication efforts.
 - Contribute to gender-sensitive and inclusive communication approaches in all project activities.
 - Provide communication support during community consultations, policy dialogues, technical meetings, and project events.
 - Be available to travel to coastal communities and participate in evening or weekend activities as required.
 - Be available to travel to Blue and Green Islands Integrated Program regional or global events
- 6. 4. Technical Delivery of Project Components:**
 - Component 3 will focus on Strengthened communications, coordination and knowledge management at national and global levels in alignment with the Blue and Green Islands Integrated Program.

Within this component, the project communications specialist will contribute to:

- 3.1.1. OUTPUT: Strategic gender-inclusive communications plan designed and implemented:**
 - Strategic gender-inclusive communications plan designed to include required project reports, communications products to be produced (such as videos, social media posts) and
 - Facilitation of communication efforts for project coordination among all stakeholders.
- 3.1.2 OUTPUT: Accessible project lessons captured and disseminated including through Knowledge Management products and platforms, including.**
Communications materials designed and developed such as best practice manuals; case studies; technical reports and in coordination with the MEK officer, dissemination of knowledge materials in an accessible and gender-sensitive manner to relevant projects, programs, and initiatives.
Accessible project lessons captured and disseminated including through Knowledge Management Products.
- 3.1.3. OUTPUT: Participation in BGI IP Communications events and workshops**
Staff remain in close communication with BGI IP and attend quarterly virtual calls with the IP.

Qualifications and Experience

- Education:**
- A minimum of a Bachelor’s degree in Natural Resource Management, Environmental Studies, Communications, Journalism, Public Relations, or related field.
 - Certification or training in Sustainable Communication, Environmental Communication, or related specialization is an asset.
- Professional Experience:**
- At least five (5) years of proven experience in communications at the national and regional levels, including social media and online communications.
 - Minimum of two (2) years of direct experience engaging Belizean coastal and fishing communities, with strong understanding of their socio-economic realities, cultural context, and environmental challenges.
 - Experience in developing and delivering presentations and workshops, particularly with fisherfolk and grassroots community groups.
 - Demonstrated experience in collecting and managing data and information from fisherfolk and local communities for knowledge management and reporting.
 - Proven experience working with managing entities such as community-based organizations, NGOs, government agencies, or fisheries cooperatives in Belize’s marine and coastal sector.
- Skills and Competencies:**
- Strong knowledge of Belize’s community environment, governance structures, and the social context of coastal and fishing communities.
 - Ability to translate technical and conservation concepts into clear, accessible communication products for diverse audiences (local communities, policymakers, donors, and international stakeholders).
 - Demonstrated skills in media relations, audiovisual content creation (photography, videography), and use of digital platforms (social media, websites).
 - Excellent written and verbal communication skills in English; Spanish is considered an asset
 - Proficiency in Microsoft Office Suite and familiarity with multimedia and design tools (e.g., Adobe Creative Suite, video editing software).
 - Ability to work flexible hours, including evenings and weekends, and willingness to travel extensively within Belize, regionally or internationally.
- Personal Qualities:**
- Strong interpersonal skills with proven ability to build trust and maintain relationships in multicultural and community settings.
 - Creative, adaptable, solution-oriented, and committed to conservation and sustainable development.
- Duty Station:** Belize City

Payment Arrangements: The salary of the contract is commensurate with experience and qualifications.

The estimated Starting Date and Duration: Start date will be effective at contract signature.Contracts are renewed biennially based on an assessment of performance. This position requires full-time commitment.
Interested persons can send an Application Letter and CV along with three references to email: RBBPM.bbfunit@opm.gov.bz or printed to the following address by Friday, 21 st November no later than 4:00 p.m.

RBB Project Manager
Blue Bond and Finance Permanence Unit
Office of the Prime Minister
3rd Floor, Eleanor Hall Building
Lake Independence Boulevard
Belize City
RE: Communications Specialist

Applications will be reviewed by the Selection Committee. Those shortlisted will be invited to an interview with the Committee. Due diligence will be done to validate the information included in the CV and provided during interviews.

GoB Advances Digital Education Promise Handed over 915 E-Learning Devices in SHC, Cayo



San Ignacio, November 10, 2025 — The Government of Belize continues to make significant strides in transforming education through technology and innovation. On Monday, the Minister of Education, Science and Technology, Hon. Oscar Requena, alongside Hon. Michel Chebat, Area Representative for Cayo North, proudly handed over 915 E-Learning Devices (Chromebooks) to students at Sacred Heart College in San Ignacio.

This milestone marks yet another fulfilled promise under PlanBelize and PlanBelize 2.0, which commit to making education more accessible, equitable, and technology-driven. The initiative reflects the government’s ongoing mission to equip students with the skills and tools necessary to thrive in an increasingly digital and innovation-based global economy.

Minister Requena emphasized that this investment in young people is an investment in Belize’s future. He stated, “We are reshaping our education system to ensure that every Belizean child—no matter where they live—has access to the technol-

ogy and opportunities needed to succeed in the modern world,” he continued. “This is about empowering our students to learn, innovate, and compete globally.”

The initiative forms part of the Skills for the Future Program, implemented through the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology (MoEST) with support from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) and the Global Partnership for Education (GPE). The program focuses on closing the skills gap, improving classroom technology, and preparing students for the Fourth Industrial Revolution—an era defined by artificial intelligence, digital learning, and creative problem-solving.

Through this program, 5,000 digital devices are being distributed to secondary school students nationwide, bridging the digital divide and making learning more interactive and inclusive. Beyond the devices, the Ministry is also spearheading the creation of STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics) Pavilions and maker studios in six flagship institutions: Corozal Community College, Bishop Martin High School, Belmopan Comprehensive High School, Sacred Heart College, Ecumenical High School, and Toledo Community College.

Sacred Heart College now stands at the forefront of this transformation. Its upcoming STEAM Pavilion will serve not only its students but also as a regional innovation hub for the Cayo District, enabling collaborative learning, coding, robotics, and digital design.

Minister Chebat commended the effort, “We are witnessing real progress—progress that connects our students to the world and positions Belize as a leader in digital learning across the region.”

The Belize Education Sector Plan (BESPlan) 2021–2025 continues to guide these efforts under its four pillars: Access, Quality, Governance, and Relevance. The plan envisions an inclusive education system that uses digital innovation to unlock creativity, improve learning outcomes, and prepare students for emerging opportunities in science, technology, and the arts.

For the Ministry of Education, these initiatives are not just about equipment—they are about transformation. They represent a long-term commitment to ensure that every student can access quality education, no matter their background.

With programs like Skills for the Future and BESPlan 2021–2025 already in motion, the Government of Belize is delivering on its promise to make education not just modern, but meaningful—an education system that empowers Belizeans to learn, lead, and build a brighter tomorrow.



REQUEST FOR BIDS (RFB) (COMPANY)

Design and Construction of Orange Walk Town (Main Street Rehabilitation and Upgrading)

Institution: Ministry of Finance
Country: Belize, Central America
Project: Sustainable and Inclusive Urban Development Program
Process ID: BL-L1046-P00031
Deadline: December 30, 2025; 10:00 a.m. (Local Belize Time)

The Government of Belize has received loan financing from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) for the implementation of the Sustainable and Inclusive Urban Development Program.

The Ministry of Finance, through its Central Executing Unit, intends to allocate a portion of the Program’s proceeds to procure the services of a Company for the “**Design and Construction of Orange Walk Town (Main Street Rehabilitation and Upgrading)**”.

The Ministry of Finance invites interested companies to access the full version of this RFB online at <https://mof.gov.bz/procurement-opportunities/> or by scanning the QR code below, and to submit their Bid in accordance with the instructions provided in the full version.

ATTN: Karon Hamilton
Procurement Specialist
Ministry of Finance
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procurement@ceu.mof.gov.bz



Ministry of Constitution & Religious Affairs, Indigenous Affairs & Transportation

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October 29, 2025

INVITATION TO QUOTE No. 0004/25

The Ministry of Constitution & Religious Affairs, Indigenous Affairs & Transportation is inviting quotations from qualified and experienced contractors for the rehabilitation of three terminal facilities — the Belize City Terminal Compound, Belize City Terminal Building, and the Belmopan Terminal Compound.

The purpose of this project is to improve the structural integrity, functionality, and aesthetics of these facilities to enhance safety, operational efficiency, and the overall user experience.

SERVICES	LOCATION
Rehabilitation of Bus Terminal Compound	Belize City
Upgrade to Terminal Building	Belize City
Rehabilitation of Bus Terminal Compound	Belmopan City

Interested bidders may submit a complete set of bidding documents inclusive of Specifications to the below physical address. Bids must also include Company profile and proof of legal registration, detailed cost breakdown per site and per activity (as per the Bill of Quantities), proposed work schedule and completion timeframe, list of key personnel and technical experience relevant to the project, evidence of similar works completed in the last 3 years, Proof of Financial Capacity including a recent bank statement (within the last 12 months), copy of **Certificates of Good Standing** from the **Belize Companies Registry**, the **Belize Tax Service** and the **Belize Social Security Board**, and any other supporting documentation demonstrating capability to perform the works. (Kindly see full bidding documents <https://docs.google.com/document/d/12q1dJhX7Vp-o0gQudJbmku2lKpMu59hplOXNo9lLrgU/edit?usp=sharing>)

The deadline for submission of sealed bids is **Friday 21st November 2025, at 12:00 noon**, via direct mail or hand delivered to the address indicated below:

Mr. Chester Williams
Chief Executive Officer
Ministry of Constitution and Religious Affairs, Indigenous Affairs and Transportation
Unit 2, 3rd Floor, 1902 Constitution Drive
Belmopan City, Belize
Ref: INVITATION TO QUOTE (No DOT 004/25)

Late submissions will not be considered.



Belize National Prayer

Almighty and Eternal God, who through Jesus Christ has revealed Your Glory to all nations, please protect and preserve Belize, our beloved country.

God of might, wisdom and justice, please assist our Belizean government and people with your Holy Spirit of counsel and fortitude.

Let Your light of Your divine wisdom direct their plans and endeavours so that with Your help we may attain our just objectives.

With Your guidance, may all our endeavours tend to peace, social justice, liberty, national happiness, the increase of industry, sobriety and useful knowledge.

We pray, O God of Mercy, for all of us that we may be blessed in the knowledge and sanctified in the observance of Your most holy law, that we may be preserved in union and, in that peace which the world itself cannot give.

And, after enjoying the blessings of this life, please admit us, dear Lord, to that eternal reward that You have prepared for those who love You.

Amen.

Taiwan's participation in the "Global Mutirão" on Climate Transition



By Peng Chi-ming, Minister of Environment

Aligning with the world to confront climate risks while energizing broad participation to achieve sustainable development

Climate change is rapidly reshaping the global economic structure and risk landscape. Taiwan is not immune to this growing challenge. In the summer of 2025, southern and eastern Taiwan were struck by successive typhoons and torrential rainfall, causing severe flooding in many locations and underscoring the profound effect of extreme climate on regional development and public safety. As a responsible member of the international community, Taiwan is moving to address climate change in line with global efforts to limit temperature increases to 1.5°C over baseline. In 2025, Taiwan presented a clear and transparent Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC) for 2035, setting explicit goals for a low-carbon transition. With the regular publication of National Inventory Reports on greenhouse gases as well as Biennial Transparency Reports, Taiwan is disclosing its progress and demonstrating its commitment to meeting its responsibilities as concerns the global effort to reduce emissions.

When he took office in 2024, President Lai Ching-te announced the National Project of Hope, setting out a policy vision for green growth and a 2050 net-zero transition. His administration has since dictated five major strategies for advancing the net-zero transformation: developing an intelligent green energy strategy; promoting a dual-track industrial transformation involving both digitalization and greening; fostering net-zero, sustainable lifestyles; ensuring a leading government role supporting the transition; and achieving a just transition that leaves no one behind. In June 2024, the National Climate Change Committee was established under the Office of the President to create societal momentum and facilitate dialogue on national climate governance strategies. Through this process, Taiwan set new emissions reduction targets—26 to 30 percent by 2030 and 36 to 40 percent by 2035 compared with the base year.

Setting ambitious mid-term targets to steer the net-zero transition

Taiwan is focusing on mid-term targets as the core strategy by which to steer its transition to net-zero emissions by 2050. It is also progressively building an institutional, action-oriented climate governance framework. The Climate Change Response Act enshrines in law the 2050 net-zero goal. Moreover, in line with the updated NDC under the Paris Agreement, Taiwan is voluntarily advancing its implementation in accordance with Article 4 obligations. It is concurrently reviewing and refining its mitigation pathway. Taiwan has raised its 2030 target to a 28 percent ± 2 percent reduction from 2005 levels while setting mid-term goals of 32 percent ± 2 percent by 2032 and 38 percent ± 2 percent by 2035.

Advancing voluntary compliance and fostering inclusive dialogue

In accordance with Article 4 of the Paris Agreement and the decision adopted at the 28th Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC COP28) in 2023, parties are required to submit 2035 greenhouse gas reduction targets (NDC 3.0) by 2025. Although Taiwan is not a party to the convention, it has voluntarily aligned with the UNFCCC framework and timeline in submitting its NDC 3.0 this year. Developed in line with guidance on information necessary to facilitate clarity, transparency, and understanding, Taiwan's NDC 3.0 shows enhanced ambition and fairness comparable to those of other countries.

The NDC 3.0 highlights 10 key dimensions: (1) equity and ambition; (2) the domestic legal and institutional framework for climate governance; (3) smart green energy strategies for an energy transition; (4) the dual-track transformation of digital and green industries; (5) green finance and carbon pricing; (6) net-zero, sustainable lifestyles through community-driven initiatives; (7) a just transition and green workforce development; (8) international cooperation; (9) climate change adaptation; and (10) human rights, gender equality, and the rights and welfare of children and youth. These components ensure a science-based and transparent framework for Taiwan's concrete actions on climate.

Integrating resources and expanding networks for

climate adaptation

In response to the effects of climate change, Taiwan is pressing forward with nationwide climate change adaptation policies in line with Article 7 of the Paris Agreement, which calls for strengthening adaptation actions at all levels. Taiwan has established a National Climate Change Adaptation Action Plan with a four-year cycle. It covers seven areas, including critical infrastructure, water resources, land use, coasts and oceans, energy supply and industry, agricultural production and biodiversity, and health. It also addresses capacity building. Local governments have

developed climate change adaptation programs to promote context-specific adaptations, with annual progress reports published to enhance adaptive capacity, strengthen resilience, and reduce vulnerability.

Connecting to global transformations and shaping a new era of climate action

COP30 will be a landmark event as we mark five years since the implementation of the Paris Agreement. The gathering will serve as the starting point of the next phase of global climate action. Taiwan is aligning with the international community by submitting its NDC 3.0 and completing its first Biennial Transparency Report to respond to the global transparency framework addressed in Article 13 of the Paris Agreement. Such efforts un-

derscore the predictability of Taiwan's climate policies as well as its commitment to global dialogue.

Taiwan is also acting determinedly on the net-zero transition by furthering work on carbon pricing, driving structural transformation, extending its adaptation actions, and building robust policy support frameworks. Such work demonstrates both resolve and the capacity to confront the challenges of climate change. Yet Taiwan recognizes that net zero is not something any one nation can achieve alone, but rather is a collective journey the global community is taking together.

We call on all countries to support Taiwan's participation in COP30 in Belém, Brazil, this November, so as to empower Taiwan and the international community to jointly respond to the climate crisis in the spirit of COP30's "Global Mutirão." Working together, we can move toward the full implementation of the Paris Agreement and create a net-zero world.

For the full article go to <https://www.facebook.com/share/p/1GrhYpgh9T/>

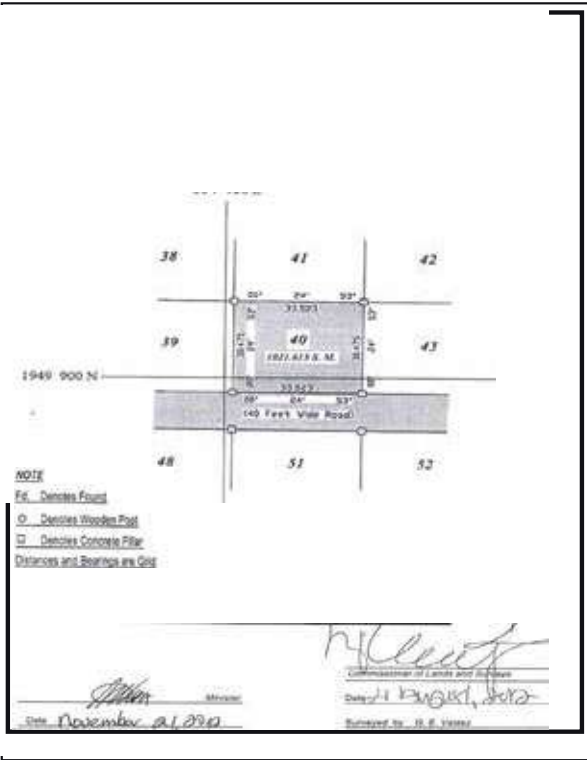
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At the Sandhill Community Center on Friday, November 21, 2025 at 10:00 a.m.

SCHEDULE

ALL THAT piece or parcel of land being Lot No. 40, comprising 1021.613 Square Metres situate East of the Northern Highway (now Philip Goldson Highway), Near Mile 18, Sandhill Village, Belize District, being such land comprised in MINISTER'S FIAT GRANT No. 628 of 2012 dated 21st November 2012 and more particularly shown and delineated on a Plan of Survey dated 21st August 2012 by G.E. Valdez, Licensed Land Surveyor, recorded at the Office of the Commissioner of Lands and Surveys, Belmopan City, Cayo District in Register No. 4, Entry No. 12681 TOGETHER with all buildings and erections standing and being thereon the freehold property of DELFIN MUNOZ

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The Office of The Prime Minister Meets with its counterparts from Quintana Roo to discuss areas of collaboration and mutual interest



November 12, 2025 - The Office of the Prime Minister and other Government of Belize officials met with counterparts from the Mexican state of Quintana Roo at the Corozal Free Zone conference room.

The meeting entailed technical discussions of ways to increase the exchange of information and best practices on gender based violence interventions, beach erosion initiatives in the Chetumal Bay, coordination of initiatives and projects, the introduction in Belize of a border pass for residents in the five Southern Mexican States, and joint policy development to increase and coordinate investment. It was also agreed to review, update, and enhance the Memorandum of Understanding between the Ministry of Investment of Belize and the Secre-

taría de Desarrollo Económico de Quintana Roo, and the Memorandum of Understanding between the Corozal Free Zone and the Recinto Fiscalizado Estrategico de Chetumal, Quintana Roo.

Points of interest highlighted by counterparts from Quintana Roo included that it would be cost effective to utilize Belize's ports for importing and exporting goods to satisfy demand in southern Quintana Roo. Targeted discussions revolved in the leveraging of Belize's geography and existing trade agreements to access CARICOM and regional markets by collaborating in the promotion of investments for the production of goods in a coordinated fashion in Belize and Southern Quintana Roo.

Representatives from the Mexican del-

egation included: Mtro. Carlos Imanol Belausteguigoitia Reyes, Director General, Secretaria de Relaciones Exteriores; Ing. Artemio Santos Santos, Coordinador General de Asesores del Despacho de la Gobernadora de Quintana Roo; Ing. Antonio Beni-

tez Dominguez, Subsecretario de Desarrollo Economico de Quintana Roo; Lic. Josefina Lombard Sanchez, Direccion General, Consejo Mexicano de Comercio Exterior para el Sur-Sureste; and other senior officials.

Representatives from the Belizean delegation included: Hon. Thea Ramirez, Minister of Human Development, Family Support and Gender Affairs; Narda Garcia, Chief Executive Officer, Office of the Prime Minister, Investment and Civil Aviation; Tanya Santos, Chief Executive Officer, Ministry of Immigration; Ambassador Oscar Arnold, Embassy of Belize in Mexico; Neri Ramirez, Chief Executive Officer, Corozal Free Zone; Ishmael Quiroz, Executive Director, BEL-TRAIDE; Lincoln Blake, Director, Investment Policy and Compliance Unit, Ministry of Investment; Dayna Blades, Director, Nationality and Passport, Ministry of Immigration; Lawrence Thompson, Director, Border Management & Immigration Services, Ministry of Immigration; and other senior government officials.

Belize Officials Participate - World Bank Energy Storage Program in Belgium

November 10, 2025 - Dr. Leroy Almendarez, Chief Executive Officer in the Ministry of Public Utilities, Energy, and Logistics, and Mr. Rey Guerrero, Director of the Central Executing Unit in the Ministry of Finance, participated in a five-day Energy Storage Program (ESP) Training organized by the World Bank's Energy Storage Partnership (ESP) and the Energy Sector Management Assistance Program (ESMAP).

The program, held in Genk, Belgium, under the theme "Energy Storage Systems: Fundamentals, Applications, Planning, and Implementation," brought together global experts, policymakers, and practitioners to strengthen technical and policy capacity for the deployment of modern energy storage systems.

Throughout the week, the Belizean delegation engaged in a blend of technical sessions, stakeholder meetings, and field visits:

- Dedicated sessions on the utilization of battery energy storage systems (BESS) - interactive discussions with international energy stakeholders, focusing on energy transition strategies, financing, and policy alignment;
- Site visit to the Port of Antwerp, where participants observed Belgium's integrated approach to energy generation, industrial decarbonization, and port electrification; and
- A tour of EnergyVille, one of Europe's leading clean energy research centers, where participants experienced first-hand how battery energy storage systems (BESS) are applied for grid management, arbitrage, and renewable energy optimization.

The training emphasized key areas, including:

- Battery and hybrid energy storage technologies;
- Applications for grid flexibility and renewable integration;
- Planning, design, and economic evaluation of storage projects; and
- Implementation frameworks and financing strategies for developing countries.



The initiative forms part of the World Bank's broader effort to accelerate the global clean energy transition, recognizing that energy storage is central to ensuring stability, reliability, and resilience in power systems increasingly reliant on renewable generation.

Dr. Almendarez emphasized that Belize's participation directly supports the country's National Energy Transition Strategy, which prioritizes 80 MW of solar generation and battery energy storage integration to reduce dependence on imported electricity and strengthen energy independence.

"This training reaffirmed that energy storage is not simply about technology—it is about sustainability, resilience, and national development. Seeing how Europe integrates storage into its energy ecosystem provides valuable lessons for Belize's transition," said Dr. Almendarez.

Mr. Guerrero noted that collaboration between the Ministry of Finance and the Ministry of Public Utilities, Energy, and Logistics is vital to ensure fiscal prudence and technical soundness in Belize's energy investments.

"Energy security and sound financial planning are inseparable. The knowledge gained this week will guide us in structuring energy projects that balance economic feasibility with long-term sustainability," he stated.

The World Bank's Energy Storage Partnership (ESP) is a global initiative that accelerates the adoption of energy storage technologies to enable greater renewable energy integration. The Energy Sector Management Assistance Program (ESMAP) supports low- and middle-income countries in transitioning to sustainable, affordable, and reliable energy systems through technical assistance and knowledge exchange.

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Belize City; Belize

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1. Vehicle:



2020 Ford King Ranch F-150 4DR

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PUBLIC AUCTION SALE: PROPERTIES

Hattieville; Belize District, San Ignacio; Cayo District

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1. Lot. No. 190 near mile 16.5 George Price Highway, Hattieville, Belize District:



All that piece or parcel of land being Lot No. 190, situate quarter mile south George Price Highway near mile 16.5 Hattieville, Belize District, containing 833.33 Sq. yds. being the leasehold property of Ms. Shermaine Dawson.

2. Lot No.4 on Mahogany Street, East Succotz Village, Cayo District:



All that piece or parcel of land being Lot No. 4, situate East of Succotz Village, Cayo District, containing 0.257 acres of land held being the freehold property of Mr. Luis Itza.

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LIQUOR LICENSE NOTICES

Notice is hereby given that **Eugene Jex Sr.** is applying for a **Restaurant Liquor License** to be operated at **“Highway Trail Resort & Country Club”** located at 27 ½ miles Old Northern Hwy., Lucky Strike Village, Belize District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Shaheen/ Helal Chowdhury & Miah** are applying for a **Shop Liquor License** to be operated at **“Dollar Grocery Shop”** located at # 2 Water Lane, Belize City, Belize District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Brian P. Snagg** is applying for a **Publican Special Liquor License** to be operated at **“Ruba Bar”** located at # 135 Lord’s Bank Village, Belize District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Alfonso Ayuso** is applying for a **Malt & Cider Liquor License** to be operated at **“Aisha’s Sports & Deli”** located at # 4 1st Street, King’s Park, Belize City, Belize District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Junqiang Rong** is applying for a **Shop Liquor License** to be operated at **“Jian Kang Li”** located at # 15 Dolphin Street, Belize City, Belize District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Fenglian Rong** is applying for a **Shop Liquor License** to be operated at **“Lena Store”** located on C.A. Blvd., Belize City, Belize District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Abraham D. Solis** is applying for a **Convenience Store Liquor License** to be operated at **“A&E Mart”** located in San Lazaro Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Julian Vasquez** is applying for a **Restaurant Liquor License** to be operated at **“Bambo Spot”** located in San Lazaro Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Zalomie B. Hernandez** is applying for a **Convenience Store Liquor License** to be operated at **“”** located in San Lazaro Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Yuan Zhan Zheng** is applying for a **Convenience Store Liquor License** to be operated at **“Danny’s San Pablo Grocery”** located in San Pablo Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Jairo R. Vargas** is applying for a **Beer Liquor License** to be operated at **“Nayeli’s Grocery Shop”** located in San Roman Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Anavela Esquivel** is applying for a **Beer Liquor License** to be operated at **“Ana’s Cool Spot”** located in Santa Martha Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Martha Barrios** is applying for a **Beer Liquor License** to be operated at **“Kenny Shop”** located in Trial Farm Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Grecia Y. Wright** is applying for a **Beer Liquor License** to be operated at **“G and E Beer Takeout”** located in Trinidad Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Elejio Coh** is applying for a **Hotel Liquor License** to be operated at **“Chan Chich Lodge”** located in Gallon Jug Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Xiomara V. Guerrero De Fuentes** is applying for a **Publican Special Liquor License** to be operated at **“Chillo’s Cool Spot Bar”** located in Roaring Creek Village, Cayo District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Winsome McFarlane** is applying for a **Shop Liquor License** to be operated at **“W & L Store”** located in Mahogany Heights Village, Belize District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Fernando Riveroll** is applying for a **Restaurant Liquor License** to be operated at **“D’Stock Burger”** located at # 2 Savannah St., S.I. Town, Cayo District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Bertita E. Cruz** is applying for a **Publican Special Liquor License** to be operated at **“Hill View Restaurant & Bar”** located on Diaz St., Benque Viejo Del Carmen, Cayo District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Rosita Cruz** is applying for a **Malt & Cider Liquor License** to be operated at **“Krystal Paradise”** located on Burns St., Benque Viejo Del Carmen, Cayo District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Guo Song Deng** is applying for a **Publican Special Liquor License** to be operated at **“Day & Night Hotel Belmopan”** located at # 7285 G.P. Blvd., City of Belmopan, Cayo District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Jian You Li** is applying for a **Shop Liquor License** to be operated at **“Chung Sing Shop”** located at # 1 Freetown Road, Belize City, Belize District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Kurk W. Hyde** is applying for a **Shop Liquor License** to be operated at **“Brend’s Shop”** located in Ontario Village, Cayo District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Weibo Laing** is applying for a **Shop Liquor License** to be operated at **“Happy Corner Shop”** located at # 15 Orange Street, Belize City, Belize District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Fengping Wu** is applying for a **Shop Liquor License** to be operated at **“Southside Shop”** located at # 40 Faber’s Road, Belize City, Belize District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Zhiyi He** is applying for a **Convenience Store Liquor License** to be operated at **“Fenny Shop”** located at # 114 South/East Canal Street, Belize City, Belize District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Maria A. Alvarado** is applying for a **Shop Liquor License** to be operated at **“Bolina’s Shop”** located at # 158 North Front Street, Belize City, Belize District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Shao Qiang Kang** is applying for a **Convenience Store Liquor License** to be operated at **“Stop & Go Ltd.”** located in Tower Hill Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Kendle Esquivel** is applying for a **Shop Liquor License** to be operated at **“Esquivel Shop”** located in Tower Hill Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Humayun Mai** is applying for a **Convenience Store Liquor License** to be operated at **“Dhaka Mini Mart”** located in Trial Farm Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Judy Grant** is applying for a **Beer Liquor License** to be operated at **“C & G Fast Food”** located in Trial Farm Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Marco A. A. Munguia/Maria Baeza** are applying for a **Malt & Cider Liquor License** to be operated at **“Baeza’s Beer Spot”** located in Trial Farm Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Marco A. A. Munguia/Maria Baeza** are applying for a **Shop Liquor License** to be operated at **“Shopping Baeza”** located in Trial Farm Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Zi Quan Tan** is applying for a **Convenience Store Liquor License** to be operated at **“Tan Ji Shop”** located in Trial Farm Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Margarita Cocom** is applying for a **Shop Liquor License** to be operated at **“JM Grocery Store”** located in Yo Creek Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Sharie Carillo** is applying for a **Convenience Store Liquor License** to be operated at **“Jia Lu Shop”** located in Yo Creek Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Lia & Shirley Garcia** are applying for a **Malt & Ciser Liquor License** to be operated at **“Nowhere Bar”** located in Yo Creek Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Rodney Cal** is applying for a **Beer Liquor License** to be operated at **“Lenny’s Shop”** located in Yo Creek Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Sandra Chi** is applying for a **Beer Liquor License** to be operated at **“Lilia Shop”** located in San Luis Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Oliverio I. Choc** is applying for a **Beer Liquor License** to be operated at **“Cantina Mix”** located in Trial Farm Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Mariely Gonzalez** is applying for a **Publican Special Liquor License** to be operated at **“V Mar’s Cool Spot”** located in San Jose Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Miriam G. Tamy** is applying for a **Restaurant Liquor License** to be operated at **“Mim’s Fast Service ”** located in San Jose Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Vianny Moh** is applying for a **Malt & Cider Liquor License** to be operated at **“D Spot”** located in San Jose Palmar Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Guermo A. Roland** is applying for a **Publican Special Liquor License** to be operated at **“The Military Cool Spot”** located at # 29 Orange Street, Belize City, Belize District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.

Notice is hereby given that **Wenhuan Li** is applying for a **Restaurant Liquor License** to be operated at **“Canton Restaurant”** located at # 63 New Road, Belize City, Belize District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition.

Notice is hereby given that **Kevin T. Osorio** is applying for a **Beer Liquor License** to be operated at **“Mel’s Grocery”** located in Douglas Village, Orange Walk District under the Intoxicating Liquor License Ordinance Revised Edition 1980.



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